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TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1920-1921

Town Clerk.

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

CHARLES S. SMITH	Term expires 1921
JOHN F. FARRAR	" " 1922
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	" " 1923

Board of Health.

CHARLES E. CLARK	Term expires 1921
MARTIN M. WELCH	" " 1922
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	" " 1923

Assessors.

CHARLES S. WHEELER	Term expires 1921
WILLIAM C. PEIRCE	" " 1922
WILLIAM H. SHERMAN	" " 1923

Treasurer.

C. LEE TODD

Collector of Taxes.

THOMAS L. GILES

Auditor.

JAMES W. LENNON

Constables.

GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM
JOHN J. KELLIHER

Commissioners of Trust Funds.

CHARLES S. SMITH	Term expires 1921
C. LEE TODD	" " 1922
DONALD GORDON	" " 1923

Tree Warden.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Trustees for Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures.

EDWARD F. FLINT	Term expires 1921
C. LEE TODD	" " 1922
DONALD GORDON	" " 1923

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY JOHN T. CLARK

Trustees of Lincoln Library.

GEORGE G. TARBELL JOHN F. FARRAR
C. LEE TODD

CHARLES S. SMITH, Chairman of Selectmen, *ex-officio*

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, Chairman School Committee, *ex-officio*

Registrars

CHARLES S. SMITH JOHN F. FARRAR
ROBERT D. DONALDSON WILLIAM C. PEIRCE

School Committee.

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY	.	.	.	.	Term expires 1921
ANTHONY J. DOHERTY	.	.	.	.	" " 1922
GEORGE G. TARBELL	.	.	.	.	" " 1923

Water Commissioners.

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN	.	.	.	.	Term expires 1921
JOHN J. KELLIHER	" " 1922
SUMNER SMITH	" " 1923

Field Drivers.

JOHN J. CONNAIR	RALPH H. GOODNO
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Fence Viewers.

JOHN F. FARRAR	WILLIAM H. SHERMAN
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Surveyor of Lumber.

ELMER A. ROLLINS

Measurers of Wood and Bark.

JOHN F. FARRAR	ELMER A. ROLLINS
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Cemetery Commissioners.

CHARLES S. SMITH	Term expires 1921
EDWARD F. FLINT	" " 1922
FRITZ CUNNERT	.	.	.	.	" " 1923

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Proceedings of a Town Meeting held
March 1, 1920

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said
County:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln qualified to vote at Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in said Lincoln on Monday, the first day of March next, at 11.30 o'clock A. M., by posting a copy of this Warrant by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town, seven days at least before the first day of March, then and there to act on the following Articles:

The polls for voting the Australian ballot will be open at 12 o'clock noon and may be closed at 6.30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers, and any other officers required by law to be elected

by ballot or otherwise, also any committees, commissioners and trustees.

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector of Taxes for one year.

Two Constables for one year.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of Trustees for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

Also to vote "Yes" or "No" upon the following question: "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this Town?"

ART. 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

ART. 4. To appropriate money for necessary and ex-

pedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

ART. 5. To determine the manner of collecting taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 6. To determine the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year beginning January 1, 1920, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor payable in one year from the date thereof; all debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will take any action to provide additional school facilities.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will extend the street lights from Haynes' Crossing to the Weston line and appropriate money therefor.

HEREOF FAIL NOT.

And make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this fourteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,

Selectmen of Lincoln.

The following return is on the back of the Warrant:

Lincoln, February 23, 1920.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and one in the Railroad Station seven days before date of said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

Pursuant to the above Warrant the meeting was called to order at 11.30 A. M., by the Town Clerk who read the Warrant.

ARTICLE 1. Sumner Smith was chosen Moderator of the meeting. The Moderator appointed Thomas J. Dee, Ballot Clerk. (Sworn.) Robert R. Hunter and Herbert G. Farrar, Tellers. (Sworn.)

Voted: That when this meeting adjourns, it do so to meet at 1.30 P. M. Saturday next.

The polls were opened at 12 o'clock noon; at 6.50 o'clock P. M. it was voted to close the polls.

There were 160 Ballots cast, 6 being Special School Committee ballots. The result of the Ballot was as follows:

ART. 2.

Town Clerk.—

William C. Peirce (Sworn)	142 votes
Blanks	12 "

Selectman, for three years.—

Robert D. Donaldson (Sworn)	138 votes
Blanks	16 “

Assessor, for three years.—

William H. Sherman (Sworn)	81 votes
Howard Snelling	70 “
Blanks	3 “

Treasurer.—

C. Lee Todd (Sworn)	137 votes
William J. Conway	1 “
Blanks	16 “

Collector of Taxes.—

Thomas L. Giles (Sworn)	139 votes
Blanks	15 “

Auditor.—

James W. Lennon (Sworn)	145 votes
Blanks	9 “

Constables.—

George E. Cunningham (Sworn)	135 votes
John J. Kelliher (Sworn)	138 “

School Committee, for three years.—

George G. Tarbell (Sworn)	125 votes
Amos R. Little	28 “

Water Commissioner, for three years.—

Sumner Smith (Sworn)	123 votes
Thomas L. Giles	1 “
Patrick Craven	1 “
Blanks	29 “

Board of Health, for three years.—

Robert D. Donaldson	130 votes
Frank J. Kidder	3 “
Blanks	21 “

Tree Warden.—

John J. Kelliher	136 votes
Blanks	18 “

Cemetery Commissioner, for three years.—

Fritz Cunnert	131 votes
George Jones	1 “
Blanks	22 “

Commissioner of Trust Funds, for three years.—

Donald Gordon	128 votes
William C. Peirce	1 “
Blanks	25 “

**Trustee for Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures,
for three years.—**

Donald Gordon	133 votes
William C. Peirce	1 “
Blanks	20 “

Question.—

Shall License be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this Town:

Yes	73 votes
No	62 “
Blanks	19 “

March 6, 1920.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 1.35 o'clock P. M. The result of the ballot was then read by the Moderator. Voted to adjourn for one-half hour. Meeting called to order at 2.20 o'clock P. M. The following officers were then chosen:

Field Drivers.—

John J. Connair
Ralph H. Goodno

Fence Viewers.—

John F. Farrar (Sworn)
William H. Sherman (Sworn)

Surveyor of Lumber.—

Elmer A. Rollins (Sworn)

Measurers of Wood and Bark.—

John F. Farrar (Sworn)
Elmer A. Rollins (Sworn)

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.—

Conrad P. Hatheway
John T. Clark

ART. 3. Voted: That the Reports of Town Officers, Committees and Trustees as printed in the Town Report be accepted.

ART. 4. Voted: That the question of wages for Highway employees be left with the Selectmen and Highway Superintendent.

Appropriations.—

For Schools	\$15,500.00
For Transportation of Children	4,500.00
For Support of Poor	500.00
For Highways and Bridges	17,500.00
For continuing work on South Great Road in conjunction with money to come from State and County, to be taken from money in the Treasury	7,500.00
Of all sums already appropriated \$3,000.00 additional be taken from money in the Treasury.	
For Library, Dog Tax and	700.00
For Cemeteries (Taken from Cemetery Fund)...	500.00
For Board of Health	200.00
For Tree Warden	2,500.00
For Miscellaneous Expenses	6,000.00
For Hydrants and other Water Service.....	2,400.00
For Waltham Hospital Free Bed	300.00
For Street Lamps	1,800.00
For Fire Department	200.00
For Payment of Water Bonds (from Water Works Income)	1,000.00
For Water Works Sinking Fund (from Water Works Income)	1,500.00

ART. 5. Voted: That the taxes be collected in the same manner as last year.

ART. 6. Voted: That the compensation of the collector of taxes be $1\frac{3}{4}\%$.

ART. 7. Voted: That the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year beginning January 1, 1920, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment thereof, payable in one year from the date thereof, all debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 8. Voted: That the School Committee and the Selectmen and Charles F. Eveleth act as a Committee to investigate and report to the Town.

Voted: That the Selectmen and the Commissioners of Sinking and Trust Funds be a Committee and be directed to take all necessary steps to bring about a change in the object of the Trust known as the "Abbie J. Stearns Fund for Town Hearse," so that said fund may be applied to the general fund for the Lincoln Library.

ART. 9. Voted: That it be left with the Selectmen to put necessary lights on the road from Blodgett's corner to Bent's corner, so called, also from Wheeler's lane to the Stone Crusher.

ART. 10. Voted to pass over.

Voted to adjourn.

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

Proceedings of the Presidential Primary, held April 27, 1920

The meeting was called to order at 2 o'clock P. M. by the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who read the Warrant and administered the oath to Thomas J. Dee as Ballot Clerk and to Herbert G. Farrar as Teller. The polls were then declared open. The polls were closed at 6.15 o'clock P. M. A total of 40 votes were cast. The result of the ballot was as follows:

Republican Ballot.—

DELEGATES-AT-LARGE.—

Henry Cabot Lodge, of Nahant	30 votes
Frederick H. Gilbert, of Springfield	26 “
W. Murray Crane, of Dalton	30 “
Edward A. Thurston, of Fall River	22 “
Louis A. Frothingham, of Easton	10 “
Alvan T. Fuller, of Malden	4 “
Thomas W. Lawson, of Scituate	3 “
Samuel W. McCall, of Winchester	12 “
Russel A. Wood, of Cambridge	3 “

ALTERNATE DELEGATES-AT-LARGE.—

Butler Ames, of Lowell	21 votes
Chandler Bullock, of Worcester	19 “
Gurdon W. Gordon, of Springfield	20 “
Butler R. Wilson, of Boston	19 “

DISTRICT DELEGATES, FIFTH DISTRICT.—

Frank E. Dunbar, of Lowell	22 votes
Gardner W. Pearson, of Lowell	13 “
Louis Pfeiffer, of Bedford	10 “

ALTERNATE DISTRICT DELEGATES,

FIFTH DISTRICT.—

Kimball G. Colby, of Methuen	12 votes
Wilford D. Gray, of Woburn	16 “
Louis Ellenwood, of Reading	8 “

Democratic Ballot.—

DELEGATES-AT-LARGE.—

David I. Walsh, of Fitchburg	3 votes
Richard H. Long, of Framingham	3 “
Joseph C. Pelletier, of Boston	3 “
Daniel F. Doherty, of Westfield	3 “

ALTERNATE DELEGATES-AT-LARGE.—

Susan W. Fitzgerald, of Boston	3 votes
Mary A. Carson, of Pittsfield	3 “
Mary Keegan Shuman, of Boston	3 “
Helen G. Thayer, of Worcester	3 “

DISTRICT DELEGATES, FIFTH DISTRICT.—

Humphrey O'Sullivan, of Lowell	3 votes
Joseph P. Donahue, of Lowell	3 “

ALTERNATE DISTRICT DELEGATES,

FIFTH DISTRICT.—

Katherine F. McCarthy, of Lowell	2 votes
Anna Loretto McGowan, of Woburn	2 “

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

May 15, 1920.

William M. Hilliard has this day been sworn as Special Police for the remainder of the year by

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

May 15, 1920.

Lorenzo E. Brooks has this day been sworn as Special Police for the remainder of the year by

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

May 17, 1920.

Isaac Langille has this day been sworn as Special Police for the remainder of the year by

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

May 22, 1920.

Winslow A. Eaton has this day been sworn as Special Police for the remainder of the year by

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

May 29, 1920.

John Campbell was this day sworn as Special Police Officer for the Town of Lincoln by Albert H. Beal, Notary Public, for the Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Boston.

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

July 9, 1920.

John F. Farrar was this day sworn as weigher of stone and other commodities for the South Great Road construction by

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

July 9, 1920.

John J. Connair was this day sworn as Deputy to John F. Farrar as weigher of stone and other commodities by

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

August 2, 1920.

Edward J. Hogan was this day sworn as Special Police for the remainder of the year by

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

August 14, 1920.

The following men have this day been appointed Special Police by the Board of Selectmen of Lincoln:

William Craig, of Concord
James W. Craig, of Concord
David B. J. Feeham, of Concord.

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

JURY LIST FOR 1920

As prepared by the Selectmen of Lincoln

<i>Name</i>	<i>P. O. Address</i>	<i>Occupation</i>
Adams, John	So. Lincoln	Business Man
Bamforth, Fred J. D.	Lincoln	Farmer
Brooks, Lorenzo E.	Concord, R. D.	Farmer
Codman, Thomas N.	So. Lincoln	Retired
Crook, Russel G.	So. Lincoln	Sculptor
Dougherty, Matthew F.	Waltham, R. F. D.	Carpenter
Eaton, Winslow A.	Waltham, R. F. D.	Farmer
Farnsworth, Charles P.	So. Lincoln	Farmer
Farrar, Herbert W.	So. Lincoln	Farmer
Farrar, John F.	So. Lincoln	Farmer
Flint, Ephraim B.	Lincoln	Farmer
Foreman, Charles F.	So. Lincoln	Carpenter
Giles, Thomas L.	So. Lincoln	Painter
Gordon, Donald	So. Lincoln	Lawyer
Hamilton, D. Lincoln	Lincoln	Farmer
Harding, William A.	So. Lincoln	Carpenter
Lennon, James W.	So. Lincoln	Clerk
Little, Amos R.	So. Lincoln	Lawyer
Martin, Owen E.	So. Lincoln	Farmer
McHugh, John E.	Concord, R. F. D.	Farmer
Neville, James M.	Concord, R. F. D.	Farmer
Peck, Chester G.	Lincoln	Farmer
Sherman, Chester H.	So. Lincoln	Clerk
Tarbell, George G.	Lincoln	Farmer
Welch, Martin M.	So. Lincoln	Farmer

Proceedings at the Primaries, held September 7, 1920

The meeting was called to order at 2 o'clock P. M. by the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who read the Warrant and administered the oath to George G. Tarbell and Thomas J. Dee as Ballot Clerks and to Thomas L. Giles as Teller. The polls were closed at 8.15 o'clock P. M. A total of 169 votes were cast, 66 women having voted. The result of the ballot was as follows:

FOR GOVERNOR.—

Channing H. Cox, of Boston (R.)	131 votes
Richard H. Long, of Framingham (D.)	1 “
John J. Walsh, of Boston (D.)	1 “

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.—

Charles L. Burrill, of Boston (R.)	46 votes
Alvan T. Fuller, of Malden (R.)	20 “
Albert P. Langtry, of Springfield (R.)	18 “
Joseph E. Warner, of Taunton (R.)	58 “
James Jackson, of Westwood (R.)	2 “
Michael A. O'Leary, of Cambridge (D.)	3 “

FOR SECRETARY.—

James W. Bean, of Cambridge (R.)	18 votes
Frederic W. Cook, of Somerville (R.)	22 “
Samuel W. George, of Haverhill (R.)	8 “
James G. Harris, of Medford (R.)	47 “
Russel A. Wood, of Cambridge (R.)	26 “
Charles H. McGlue, of Lynn (D.)	3 “

FOR TREASURER.—

Fred J. Burrell, of Medford (R.)	12 votes
James Jackson, of Westwood (R.)	135 “
Patrick O’Hearn, of Boston (D.)	3 “

FOR AUDITOR.—

Walter P. Babb, of Lynn (R.)	35 votes
Alonzo B. Cook, of Boston (R.)	96 “
Alice E. Cram, of Boston (D.)	3 “

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL.—

J. Weston Allen, of Newton (R.)	141 votes
Michael L. Sullivan, of Salem (D.)	3 “

FOR CONGRESSMAN, (*Fifth District*).—

John Jacob Rogers, of Lowell (R.)	105 votes
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FOR COUNCILLOR, (*Sixth District*).—

Smith J. Adams, of Lowell (R.)	0 votes
Edward W. Berry, of Winchester (R.)	0 “
Edward B. Eames, of Reading (R.)	22 “
Fred O. Lewis, of Lowell (R.)	1 “
Charles Sumner Smith, of Lincoln (R.)	137 “

FOR SENATOR (*Fifth Middlesex District*).—

John M. Gibbs, of Waltham (R.)	137 votes
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FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT.—

Benjamin Loring Young, of Weston (R.)	146 votes
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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.—

Arthur W. Colburn, of Dracut (R.)	14 votes
Alfred L. Cutting, of Weston (R.)	124 “
George A. Goodwin, of Somerville (R.)	12 “
Walter C. Wardwell, of Cambridge (R.)	114 “

FOR SHERIFF, (*Middlesex County*).—

John R. Fairbairn, of Cambridge (R.)	131 votes
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FOR STATE COMMITTEE, (*Fifth Middlesex District*).—

Raoul H. Beaudreau, of Marlborough (R.)	111 “
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FOR DELEGATE TO STATE CONVENTION.—

John F. Farrar, of Lincoln (R.)	112 votes
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FOR TOWN COMMITTEE.—

John F. Farrar	122 votes
Robert D. Donaldson	122 “
Chester H. Sherman	125 “
Charles Sumner Smith	124 “
William C. Peirce, Jr.	15 “
Lucy Denio	8 “
Marion L. Snelling	4 “
Edith Farrar	2 “
Emma M. Eldredge	2 “
Hope Hunt	2 “
Eleanor Tarbell	2 “
Mabel W. Hatheway	2 “
Mary B. Farrar	1 “
Henrietta Warner	1 “
George G. Tarbell	1 “

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

October 21, 1920.

Thomas L. Giles was this day sworn as measurer of hay by

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,

Town Clerk.

Proceedings at the State Election, held November 2, 1920

The Warrant was read by the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen. Polls were opened at 7 o'clock A. M. The oath was administered to George G. Tarbell and Thomas J. Dee as Ballot Clerks and to Thomas L. Giles and Jennie B. Bent as Tellers. At 8.30 o'clock P. M. the polls were closed. A total of 419 votes were cast, 189 being women votes and 230 men votes. The result of the ballots was as follows:

ELECTORS FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT.—

Cox and Roosevelt (D.)	104 votes
Cox and Gilhaus (S. L.)	0 “
Debs and Stedman (S.)	2 “
Harding and Coolidge (R.)	299 “

FOR GOVERNOR.—

Channing H. Cox, of Boston (R.)	309 votes
Walter H. Hutchins, of Greenfield (S.)	2 “
Patrick Mulligan, of Boston (S. L.)	0 “
John J. Walsh, of Boston (D.)	80 “
Blanks	28 “

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.—

Marcus A. Coolidge, of Fitchburg (D.)	85 votes
David Craig, of Milford (S. L.)	1 “
Alvan T. Fuller, of Malden (R.)	201 “
Thomas Nickolson, of Methuen (S.)	3 “
Robert M. Washburn, of Boston (I.)	98 “
Blanks	31 “

FOR SECRETARY.—

Frederick W. Cook, of Somerville (R.)	297 votes
Edward E. Ginsburg, of Brookline (D.)	65 “
Anthony Houtenbrink, of Boston (S. L.)	1 “
Edith M. Williams, of Brookline (S.)	3 “
Blanks	53 “

FOR TREASURER.—

George H. Jackson, of Lynn (C.)	2 votes
James Jackson, of Westwood (R.)	312 “
Louis Marcus, of Boston (S.)	1 “
Patrick O'Hearn, of Boston (D.)	69 “
Albert L. Waterman, of Boston (S. L.)	1 “
Blanks	34 “

FOR AUDITOR.—

Alonzo B. Cook, of Boston (R.)	263 votes
Alice E. Cram, of Boston (D.)	104 “
Stephen J. Surridge of Lynn (S. L.)	1 “
Herbert H. Thompson, of Haverhill (S.)	2 “
Blanks	49 “

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL.—

J. Weston Allen, of Newton (R.)	298 votes
Morris I. Becker, of Boston (S. L.)	1 “
John Weaver Sherman, of Boston (S.)	3 “
Michael L. Sullivan, of Salem (D.)	73 “
Blanks	44 “

FOR CONGRESSMAN (*Fifth District*).—

Jackson Palmer, of Lowell (D.)	113 votes
John Jacob Rogers, of Lowell (R.)	268 “
Blanks	38 “

FOR COUNCILLOR, (*Sixth District*).—

Charles Sumner Smith, of Lincoln (R.)	346 votes
Scattering	4 “
Blanks	69 “

FOR SENATOR.—

John M. Gibbs, of Waltham (R.)	326 votes
Blanks	93 “

FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT,
(*Thirteenth District*).—

George Albree, of Concord (D.)	42 votes
Benjamin Loring Young, of Weston (R.)	331 “
Blanks	46 “

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS,
(*Middlesex County*).—

Alfred L. Cutting, of Weston (R.)	301 votes
Walter C. Wardwell, of Cambridge (R.)	241 “

FOR SHERIFF, (*Middlesex County*).—

John R. Fairbairn, of Cambridge	298 votes
Blanks	291 “

Question.—

Shall an act entitled, “An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of Beer, Cider and Light Wines” be approved:

Yes—149
 No—185
 Blanks—85

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

At a meeting of the Town Clerks of the Thirteenth Representative District of Middlesex County, held at Concord, November 12, 1920, the vote for Representative in the General Court was determined as follows:

	Concord	Lincoln	Sudbury	Wayland	Weston	Total
George Albree, of Concord.....	438	42	39	87	10	616
Benjamin Loring Young, of Weston..	1514	331	329	595	872	3641
Blank	205	46	35	108	27	421
Total	2157	419	403	790	909	4678

Two certificates of the election of Benjamin Loring Young of Weston were prepared and signed by the Clerks for trans-

mission to the Secretary of the Commonwealth and to the Representative elect.

William D. Cross, Town Clerk of Concord.

William C. Peirce, Town Clerk of Lincoln.

Frank F. Gerry, Town Clerk of Sudbury.

Warren L. Bishop, Town Clerk of Wayland.

Brenton H. Dickson, Jr., Town Clerk of Weston.

Attest :

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

December 20, 1920.

Rollins Bros. have this day been registered in the Town of Lincoln to sell Oleomargarine at retail.

Attest :

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

There have been recorded during the year ending December 31, 1920, 13 Marriages, 32 Births, 12 Deaths.

Marriages Registered

Date of Marriage			Name	Residence
Jan.	25, 1920	{ }	John Thomas O'Brien Monica Mary Norris	Concord Lincoln
Jan.	28, 1920	{ }	Edward Francis Boyce Mary Elizabeth McLaughlin	Lincoln Fitchburg
April	7, 1920	{ }	James Thomas Ryan Mary Josephine Norris	Lincoln Lincoln
June	2, 1920	{ }	William Joseph Fitzpatrick Helen Felicitas Gately	Brookline Lincoln
June	5, 1920	{ }	Arthur Stuart Eldredge Josephine Sturgis	Lincoln Boston
July	26, 1920	{ }	Jeremiah Joseph Moynihan Katherine Helena Casey	Lincoln Waltham
Sept.	1, 1920	{ }	Percival Dudley Shepherd Emma Margaret Eldredge	Wellesley Hills Lincoln
Sept.	6, 1920	{ }	Joseph A. Domenichello Mary Alice Maud Burbridge	Lincoln Lexington
Sept.	14, 1920	{ }	Howard Snelling Amy V. Smith	Lincoln Lincoln
Oct.	12, 1920	{ }	Thomas Barnes Mary Duncan	Lincoln Lincoln
Nov.	28, 1920	{ }	Gaetano Damico Louise Domenichello	Watertown Lincoln
Dec.	9, 1920	{ }	Hubert George Hutton Eleanor Frances Harrington	Lincoln Lincoln
Dec.	13, 1920	{ }	John O'Leary Delia Casey Cook	Lincoln Lincoln

Births Registered

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
Sept. 18, 1884	Julius Malcolm Eveleth	Julius E. and Mary Adeline (Reed)
Aug. 31, 1900	Adeline Reed Eveleth	Charles F. and Frances Swift (Todd)
Nov. 15, 1916	Florence Harriet Coburn	Edward S. and Minnie E. (Meyer)
Jan. 15, 1919	Richard Keith Conant	Richard K. and Lily (Roberts)
Aug. 8, 1919	Dora Kaplan	Jacob and Bessie (Keen)
Nov. 28, 1919	Elizabeth Herman	Edwards W. and Gladys DeY. (Field)
Jan. 12, 1920	Allan Anthony Rooney	John W., Jr. and Mary C. (Shelby)
Jan. 21, 1920	Charles Edward Naff	Fred and Mary Ann (Flodd)
Jan. 28, 1920	Fiore Carmino Di Meo	Sabatino and Maria (Gramfelico)
Feb. 24, 1920	Harold Lancelot Dean	Harold S. and Emma W. (Burn)
Mar. 1, 1920	James Lewis Cunningham	Geo. E. and Elizabeth M. (McKinley)
Mar. 3, 1920	John Catona	Nicholas and Carolina (Monica)
Mar. 15, 1920	Sumner Smith, Jr.	Sumner and Alice Paul (Wiggin)
April 2, 1920	Honor Kennedy	John and Honor (Cole)
April 10, 1920	Mary Silva	Manuel and Mary (Vilden)
April 13, 1920	Priscilla Farrar	Herbert G. and Edith (Biggs)
April 24, 1920	James Raymond Oreicha	George and Mabel (Withrow)
May 8, 1920	Edward Filene Little	Amos R. and Edna M. (Hilburn)
June 13, 1920	Lincoln Flint Hanson	Charles L. and Bertha W. (Flint)
June 16, 1920	Mary Perry Perelli	Antonio and Rosa (Yanetti)
July 4, 1920	Ann Demeo Guland Campobasso	Juisseppe and Genie (DiMeo)
July 15, 1920	George Uberto Browning, Jr.	George U. and Isabelle Frances (Smith)
July 29, 1920	Edward Francis Boyce, Jr.	Edward F. and Mary E. (Laughlin)
Aug. 7, 1920	Ann Elizabeth Nielsen	Peter and Margaret (Jensen)
Aug. 10, 1920	Mary Katherine Connair	John J. and Margaret J. (Casey)
Aug. 27, 1920	Helen Pickering Bradley	Phillips and Rebecca (Pickering)
Oct. 1, 1920	Francis Joseph Davis	William H. and Alice M. (McPhee)
Oct. 14, 1920	Elizabeth Mary Ryan	James T. and Mary J. (Norris)
Oct. 25, 1920	Marion Coburn	Edward S. and Minnie E. (Meyer)
Nov. 14, 1920	Wilma Hogg	William and Nellie (Powlsen)
Nov. 28, 1920	Helen Marie Pederson	Andrew and Sarah (Holmes)
Dec. 2, 1920	Stillborn Worleigh	William S. and Mary A. (Jones)

EXTRACT FROM THE REVISED LAWS Chap. 29 AS AMENDED BY CHAP. 280, ACTS OF 1912

Sect. 1. Physicians and midwives shall, within forty-eight hours after the birth of every child in cases of which they were in charge, mail or deliver to the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which the birth occurred a notice stating

the date and place of the birth, giving the street number, if any, the number of the ward in a city and the family name. Failure to mail or deliver the said notice shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars for each offence. The notice required by this Section need not be given if the notice required by the following Section is given within forty-eight hours after the birth occurs.

Sect. 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after the birth of a child in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the City or Town, in which such child is born.

Sect. 8. A parent, keeper, superintendent or other person who is required by Section 6 to give or cause to be given notice of a birth or death, who neglects so to do for ten days after the time limited therefor, shall forfeit not more than five dollars for such offence.

Deaths Registered

Date of Death	Name	Age		
		Y.	M.	D.
Jan. 9, 1920	Pauline Carlton	35	0	1
Feb. 4, 1920	Duncan McLean	51	8	18
Feb. 5, 1920	Dennis Doherty	69	1	0
Feb. 25, 1920	Ethel M. Sherman	31	1	18
May 6, 1920	Isaac Bond Cook	65	7	6
May 19, 1920	Mary A. Rooney	57	7	0
June 9, 1920	Margaret Ann Sherman	94	9	11
July 3, 1920	Eloi Boreragault	73	10	19
Aug. 19, 1920	Abner Sanderson Wheeler	70	8	1
Nov. 10, 1920	John Taylor	61	0	0
Nov. 22, 1920	Edward J. Gately	36	11	24
Dec. 2, 1920	Stillborn Worleigh	0	0	0

Dogs Licensed in 1920

There have been 97 Dog Licenses issued to December 1, 1920, 74 Males, 12 Females, 10 Spayed Females, 1 Kennel, for which the sum of \$258.60 has been paid to the County Treasurer. Since December 1, 1920, there have been 8 Licenses issued, 5 Males, 3 Females, for which \$25.00 has been received.

There have been issued 50 Combination Hunters' Certificates, 5 Fishermen's Certificates, and 22 Minors Trappers' Certificates, for which the sum of \$45.25 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game.

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

The Selectmen present the following report for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1920:

The Board was organized by the choice of Charles S. Smith, Chairman, and R. D. Donaldson, Secretary.

Appointments

The following appointments have been made during the year:

Sealer of Weights and Measures, John J. Kelliher.

Special Police, Herbert G. Farrar, Winslow A. Eaton, Lorenzo E. Brooks, Isaac Langille, John Campbell, Wm. M. Hilliard.

Forest Warden, John J. Kelliher.

Weigher of Stone and other Commodities for South Great Road Construction, John F. Farrar.

Weigher of Coal, Hay and Grain and other Commodities, Elmer A. Rollins.

Inspector of Animals, Martin M. Welch.

Janitor of Public Buildings and Caretaker of Public Grounds, Edward Bannon.

The following table gives the appropriations made by the Town during the year 1920 and the appropriations recommended by the Board to be made at the next Annual Meeting:

	Appropriations for 1920	The Selectmen recommend the following ap- propriations for the ensuing year
For Schools,	\$15,500.00	\$15,500.00
Transportation of Children	4,500.00	4,500.00
Support of Poor	500.00	500.00
Highways and Bridges and Snow Work	17,500.00	14,000.00
South Great Road (taken from money in treasury)	7,500.00	
Library and Dog Tax	700.00	700.00
Cemeteries (from Cemetery Fund)	500.00	500.00
Board of Health	200.00	200.00
Tree Warden	2,500.00	2,500.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	6,000.00	6,000.00
Hydrants and other Water Service	2,400.00	2,400.00
Waltham Hospital Free Bed	300.00	300.00
Street Lamps	1,800.00	1,800.00
Fire Department	200.00	200.00
Payment of Water Bonds (to be taken from Water Works in- come)	1,000.00	1,000.00
Water Works Sinking Fund (to be taken from Water Works in- come)	1,500.00	1,500.00

During the last two years, besides the regular amounts appropriated and expended on the roads, the Town has expended upwards of \$15,000 on special construction in the South part of the Town—the State and the County contributing like amounts. The roads which have been constructed from the Weston line to Bents Corner and from the Episcopal Church to the road leading to the center of the Town westerly from Bakers Bridge, cost \$45,500.

The amount expended by the Town for these purposes has been taken from the surplus in the treasury. The surplus in the treasury is now nearly, if not quite, exhausted, so that in the future extraordinary expenditures of this character must be provided for by direct taxation. In the opinion of the Board, neither the Town, nor the State, nor the County will sacrifice anything, but will gain much, by largely suspending construction of this character for a year or more. The prices of all materials and of labor have been extremely high and, while prices at the present time have not been reduced materially, they are in a fair way to be reduced very materially by the expiration of another year. An expenditure of \$30,000 per mile of road is an extravagance which can well be dispensed with, in our opinion, for the present.

About the middle of the year the Selectmen learned that the old Lewis pickle factory property near the railroad station was to be sold and, after consultation among themselves and with other prominent officials of the Town, it seemed advisable that this property be purchased for Town purposes because it was well adapted to the uses to which it would be put. It had the possibility of having two desirable tenements which could be used to advantage in connection with the Highway and other departments in the Town and was centrally located.

The question presented at once was whether a special Town meeting should be called to present the matter and have the action of the Town recorded before purchase was made. It seemed best, however, that, if satisfactory arrangements could be made, the purchase should be completed at once and the

necessary repairs made so that the different departments, which would use this place, could be transferred to it before the end of the year. This policy was adopted, and the Chairman of the Board took title to the property on the payment of \$4,200 and has since paid in improvements, alterations and repairs upwards of \$10,000.00.

The question now is whether the Town will own and control this property at the actual cost, or take other action in connection with the matter. The officials have acted in the matter in entire good faith, believing that it is for the interests of the Town to own such accommodations as are provided by this purchase.

Finances

As reported in the last Annual Report, the entire debt, incurred in 1908 of \$55,000 for the erection of the new school-house, has been liquidated or provision made by which it will be entirely liquidated as soon as the bonds outstanding can be paid from the funds in the hands of the Sinking Fund Commissioners. There will undoubtedly be a considerable balance, after these bonds have been paid, to turn back into the treasury.

Otherwise, the financial condition of the Town as of January 1st, 1921, is as follows:

The outstanding bonded indebtedness on account of the Water Works is, as reported by the Treasurer, \$65,000. The sinking fund with which to retire the bonds at maturity, par value, is \$28,000, leaving a net bonded indebtedness on account of the Water works of \$37,000. There is in the Water Works treasury \$894.03 and uncollected water rates of \$3,957.00 making the total available cash for the Water Works treasury \$4,851.03.

The Treasurer reports cash in the General Treasury of \$517.56 and there are uncollected taxes of \$3,465.46, or a total available cash of \$3,983.02.

The available cash in the treasury of the Cemetery Department is \$840.36.

The surplus in the hands of the Sinking Fund Commissioners, with which to retire schoolhouse bonds and interest, is approximately \$2,176, making a total available cash in all departments, exclusive of the Water Department, of about \$6,999.38.

The business of the Town, as conducted by the various departments, is embraced in their reports and is printed herein.

For several years there has been reported a considerable surplus of cash in the treasury. That surplus, you will notice by this report, is very much reduced, indicating that not only have the current receipts on account of taxes been expended, but also a large part of the surplus funds. Therefore, it becomes important, as it always is, but more so at the present time, that the Town practice a wise economy in the appropriations to be made at the coming Annual Meeting.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,

Selectmen of Lincoln.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby submit a report of all the money paid out by the Town Treasurer by order of the Selectmen of Lincoln.

I have visited Mr. Todd at his office and was shown all securities and investments held by him.

JAMES W. LENNON,
Auditor.

SCHOOLS

 Payments

Town Treasurer, Teachers' Salary, including Janitor's Services	\$10,689.00
Mass. Teachers Retirement Fund, Retirement Fund	396.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	45.98
Boston & Maine R. R. School tickets	488.55
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Service of light	44.17
Lincoln Water Works, Service of water	110.00
Charles S. Smith, Coal	660.55
Waltham Coal Company, Coal	348.56
Martin Sherman, Transportation of Children	66.00
Doherty's Garage, Transportation of Children	2907.48
Thomas J. Dee, Transportation of Children	861.00
Robert B. Hunter, Transportation of Children	140.00
John F. Farrar & Son, Transportation of Children	125.00
Nicholas Cotoni, Transportation of Children	121.50
Fred J. D. Bamforth, Transportation of Children	60.00
David Farquhar, Transportation of Children	35.00
Town of Concord, Tuition	2,669.24
Town of Lexington, Tuition	144.00
American R. R. Express Co., Express	15.26
John F. Farrar, 1 cord wood	10.00
H. A. Wood, M. D., Professional Services	200.00
Edward Graf, Labor on School Grounds	46.50
Hattie B. Heath, Taking School Census	12.00
Thomas J. McGann, Repairs and Supplies	15.30
Thomas Lyons, Repairs and Supplies	5.00

William Stearns, Repairs and Supplies	2.35
Hollis S. Howe, Repairs on Clock	6.00
William C. Robus, Repairs on Bell	5.15
Charles Morss, Office Expenses	34.11
Isaac N. Mac Rae, Labor and Supplies	161.44
Daniels Printing Co., Printing	7.50
Roger Sherman, Milk	12.46
Lexington Lumber Co., Supplies	158.05
National Geographic Society Supplies	8.00
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, Supplies	348.51
E. E. Babb Co., Supplies	151.39
Jordan Marsh Co., Supplies	102.26
Houghton Mifflin Co., Supplies	80.54
Milton Bradley Co., Supplies	82.50
Chandler & Barber, Supplies	67.47
Ginn & Company, Supplies	156.56
Cambridge Botanical Supply Co., Supplies	51.10
Scott Foresman & Co., Supplies	51.97
John C. Winston Co., Supplies	23.94
McGraw Hill Book Co., Supplies	12.75
Current Events, Supplies	20.00
George Johnson, Supplies	40.00
A. G. Spaulding Co., Supplies	29.82
New Eng. State Blackboard Co., Supplies	16.53
American Book Company, Supplies	11.66
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co., Supplies	15.59
H. C. Stoker Co., Supplies	18.00
Little Brown & Co., Supplies	10.31
Rollins Bros., Supplies	84.22
D. Appleton Co., Supplies	17.21
Benizan Sanborn Co., Supplies	33.72
The McMillan Co., Supplies	17.69
D. C. Heath Co., Supplies	12.19
Milwaukee Dustless Brush Co., Supplies	6.50
J. L. Hammett Co., Supplies	7.80

New Method Varnish Co., Supplies	9.41
C. E. Merrill Co. Supplies	3.94
Henry A. Grimwood, Supplies	1.52
Industrial Magazine Arts, Supplies	2.00
Palmer & Parker Co., Supplies	2.10
Library Bureau, Supplies	1.96
The Cable Company, Supplies	6.25
World Book Company, Supplies	.50

\$22,109.06

HIGHWAY

Payments

William Sherman, Supt., labor on highway	\$1,186.25
Joseph Mahan, Labor	884.25
Timothy J. Crowley, Labor	838.00
William Ryan, Labor	831.00
John W. Rooney, Jr., Labor	532.25
Patrick Craven, Labor	368.50
Timothy A'Hearn, Labor	361.00
Martin J. Rooney, Labor	316.45
Town of Maynard, Labor	323.00
Italian Laborers, Labor	53.50
Frank —, Labor	40.00
Andrew J. Dougherty, Labor on Snow	368.00
Geo. B. Cunningham	304.00
Geo. U. Browning	103.00
John F. Farrar & Son	208.28
Frank Cunningham	206.50
Frank Cormeau	101.00
Howard Snelling	92.65
John J. Shea	89.25
Robert B. Hunter	89.00
Ralph Butcher, Labor on Snow	101.50
Winslow Eaton	64.75
A. Monaco	63.00
Andrew Rooney	63.00
Charles R. Butcher	59.50
Bert Pearson	56.00
Andrew Doherty	42.25
Patrick Lennon, Sr.	39.00

John McHugh	36.75
Edward Rogers	35.00
Frank Monaco	35.00
D. Monilla	63.00
Nick Contona	28.00
T. Monilla	31.50
C. F. Cunnert	27.75
L. E. Brooks	24.00
Henry A. Butcher	42.00
Jerry Moynihan	19.80
Thomas L. Giles, Jr.	12.00
Thomas J. Dee	10.50
J. Cunnert, labor on snow	14.00
E. Cunnert, labor	14.00
J. C. Dolan	14.00
Edwin B. Rice	10.50
William Burgess	12.00
William Costello	24.50
Martin Sherman	8.40
John Morrissey	5.25
M. Conners	7.00
Edward Graf	7.00
Edward Coburn	2.75
Charles P. Farnsworth, care of horses	116.00
B. W. Brown Grain Co., grain	1,582.29
Daniel McAskill, repairing and shoeing	162.00
Burgess Garage, repairing and shoeing	486.25
William Stearns, repairs	20.00
G. Morreau, repairs	41.35
Frank Cunningham, labor at crusher	42.00
Thomas L. Giles, painting signs	8.00
Lincoln Water Works, water	34.00
Estella Brooks, rent of land for crusher	25.00
American R. R. Express Co., express	1.91
Alfred Foote, inspecting boiler	5.00
John F. Farrar, horse	225.00

Fred J. D. Bamforth, mowing	7.00
E. A. Sherman, standing grass	275.00
J. S. Hart, M.D., rent of barn, 6 months	62.50
H. A. Alderman, professional services	5.00
Sweeney Motor Trucking Co., 1 stone spreader	310.00
Mass. Broken Stone Co., crushed stone	2,411.62
Barrett Mfg. Co., tarvia	7,111.51
Marcy Coal Co., coal	59.40
New England Road Co., supplies	12.98
Peter Perry	57.45
Rollins Bros.	4.60
Henry A. Grimwood	8.18
Waldo Bros.	9.75
Eagle Oil & Supply Co.	12.90
Charles H. Clarke	3.50
J. W. Milbury	78.65
Town of Concord, supplies	4.68
New England Metal Co.	52.80
John Wilson, stone	6.50
L. E. Brooks	18.50
John Fleming	8.40
John F. Farrar & Son, sand	40.00
George Hill	5.00
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	\$21,584.30

HIGHWAY SPECIAL

Payments

William H. Sherman, Services as Superintendent, including Money to Pay Laborers	\$3,997.50
Joseph Mahan, Labor	445.00
John F. Farrar, Labor	480.00
Timothy J. Crowley, Labor	445.00

William H. Ryan, Labor	445.00
Martin J. Rooney, Labor	418.95
John W. Rooney, Jr., Labor	308.60
Fred J. D. Bamforth, Labor	320.00
Patrick Craven, Labor	87.00
John F. Farrar & Son, Labor	75.00
Robert B. Hunter, Labor	50.00
Highway Department, Labor	1,315.00
Charles Hewes, Services with Steam Roller	96.40
Town of Weston, Services of Steam Roller	120.00
James B. Wood & Son, Coal	293.84
James E. Baker, Wood	10.00
Barrett Mfg. Co., Tarvia	554.50
Standard Oil Co., Labor and Supplies	2,840.50
New England Metal Culvert Co., Supplies	52.80
Barborn Stockwell Co., Supplies	29.50
Mrs. Bunker, Gravel	37.50
Carrie Sherman, Gravel	414.00
Mass. Broken Stone Co., Crushed Stone	2,276.32
General Crushed Stone Co., Crushed Stone	2,211.00
Thayer Griffith Co., Trucking Stone	2,174.05
McLoughlin & Martin, Trucking	13.87
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	\$19,511.33

JOHN A. GAFFEY—HIGHWAY SPECIAL

Payments

Selectmen's Orders, 5 Payments	\$10,554.72
George Jones, Land Damages	75.00
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	\$10,629.72

WATER

Payments

James T. Laird, Services as Engineer	\$1,206.00
James T. Laird, Services as Collector	175.00
James T. Laird, Labor with Truck	87.13
Edison Electric Light Co., Power and Light	1,929.79
Sinking Fund Commissioners, Sinking Fund	1,500.00
First National Bank, \$2500 Bonds, due Sept. 1	1,000.00
First National Bank, Coupons, due Sept. 1	685.00
State of Mass. Reg'd Bonds, due Dec. 1	227.50
First National Bank, Coupons, due March 1	685.00
First National Bank, Coupons, due May 1	87.50
First National Bank, Coupons, Due Nov. 1	187.50
First National Bank, Coupons, due Dec. 1	75.00
First National Bank, Reg'd Bonds, due June 1	175.00
Commonwealth of Mass. Reg'd Bonds, due June 1	227.50
American R. R. Express Co., Express	10.24
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Services	20.08
State of Mass., Interest on \$3000 Bonds	52.50
State of Mass., Reg'd Bonds, due Sept. 1	52.50
William H. Sherman, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
John J. Kelliher, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
Summer Smith, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
Summer Smith, Cash Paid to Laborers	226.61
William Sherman, Cash Paid to Laborers	148.00
Waltham Printing Company, Printing	3.20
Daniels Printing Company, Printing	49.00
Rufus Warren, Rubber Boots	5.50
John F. Farrar & Son, 2½ Cord Wood	25.00
William Hilliard, Posts and Fencing	10.70
The Scully Co., Labor with Truck	540.79
Burgess Garage, Labor and Supplies	16.50
Lincoln Highway Department, Labor	422.00

Maynard Laborers, Labor	1,285.10
Langille Bros., Labor	1.05
Isaac N. McRae, Labor	589.65
Rumsey Pump Co., Supplies	169.96
Chadwick Boston Lead Co., Supplies	136.36
Walworth Mfg. Co., Supplies	65.51
Boston Repair & Supply Co., Supplies	72.84
Davis & Farnum Co., Supplies	94.60
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., Supplies	58.30
Chapman Valve Co., Supplies	54.03
National Meter Co., Supplies	38.40
Dwinnells Hardware Co., Supplies	24.00
American Mfg. Co., Supplies	22.10
Stephen B. Church, Supplies	25.73
W. T. Shackley Co., Supplies	22.37
Builders Iron Foundry, Supplies	26.18
City of Waltham, Supplies	9.25
C. H. Clark, Supplies	9.60
Union Water Meter Co., Supplies	2.82
John Gaffey, Labor	117.00
William Costello, Labor	63.00
John Peters, Labor	52.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor	5.53
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	\$13,000.92

MISCELLANEOUS

 Payments

Edward Bannon, Care of Public Buildings	\$783.32
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Town Hall	69.48
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	60.61
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor on Welcome Home Arch	191.88
Leroy Bazlery, Electrical Work	241.01
American R. R. Express Co., Express	2.53
W. L. Barnes, M.D., Returning Birth	.25
L. E. Brooks, Special Police, 1919	25.00
George Cunningham, Constable	50.00
Isaac Langille, Constable	18.00
John F. Farrar, Special Police	10.00
John J. Kelliher, Constable	150.00
H. S. Cousins, Assisting Police	2.00
William Harding, Assisting Police	10.00
Doherty Garage, Assisting Police	21.35
C. O. Sargent, Horse Hire	2.50
P. B. Murphy, Printing	2.60
Wright & Potter Printing Co., Printing	10.09
Daniels Printing Co., Printing	548.55
Mary A. Rooney, Storing Barges	12.00
T. J. Dee, Services at Election and Primaries	18.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services at Elections and Primaries	11.00
Robert B. Hunter, Services at Primaries	4.00
T. L. Giles, Services at Election and Primaries	10.00
George G. Tarbell, Services at Election and Primaries	10.00
Miss Jennie Bent, Services at Election	7.00
Martin M. Welch, Inspecting Cattle	89.00
W. C. Peirce, Use of Truck Memorial Day	5.00
Edward Graf, Extra Labor on School Grounds	8.00
Waltham Coal Company, Coal	664.50
Charles S. Smith, Coal	417.39

Thomas L. Giles, Balance, Collecting Taxes, 1919	51.37
Calvin W. Childs, Ford Car	709.74
William H. Sherman, Services as Assessor	50.00
W. C. Peirce, Services as Assessor	50.00
W. C. Peirce, Clerical Work	35.00
W. C. Peirce, Services as Town Clerk	125.00
W. C. Peirce, Expressing and Postage	7.36
Robert D. Donaldson, Selectman, Overseer & Registrar	200.00
C. S. Smith, Selectman, Overseer & Registrar	200.00
John F. Farrar, Selectman, Overseer & Registrar	200.00
C. Lee Todd, Services as Town Treasurer	300.00
C. Lee Todd, Certification of Notes	4.00
James W. Lennon, Auditor	125.00
Carter Ink Co., Supplies	2.50
E. F. King & Co., Supplies	33.35
Eastern Drug Co., Supplies	8.00
Rollin Bros., Supplies	11.21
Charles S. Smith, Supplies	6.00
Francis Doane & Co., Supplies	21.21
Thomas Groom & Co., Supplies	16.60
William F. Allan & Co., Supplies	4.25
C. Lee Todd, Supplies	10.00
Doherty Garage, Repairs on Automobile	90.20
Doherty Garage, Labor at Fires and Supplies	211.52
L. F. Bowker, Labor at Fires	10.00
Winslow Eaton, Labor at Fires	20.50
Robert Farquhar, Labor at Fires	3.65
Dennis Dougherty, Labor at Fires	4.00
Mathew Dougherty, Labor at Fires	4.00
Isaac N. Mac Rae, Labor at Fires	23.50
Joseph Eaton, Labor at Fires	6.60
John Peters, Labor at Town Hall	68.00
William Costello, Labor at Town Hall	62.00
Isaac N. Mac Rae, Labor at Town Hall	13.14
Total	<hr/> \$6,142.76

MOTH

 Payments

John J. Kelliher, Services as Superintendent	\$1,200.00
William Costello, Labor	732.00
John Peters, Labor	574.00
Highway Department, Labor	458.00
John J. Connair, Labor	117.00
Henry A. Butcher, Labor	102.00
Fitz Cunnert, Labor	36.00
William Burgess, Labor	20.00
Francis Moynihan, Labor	16.00
Henry A. Butcher, Horse Hire	45.00
Doherty's Garage, Automobile Hire	21.27
James T. Laird, Automobile Hire	3.00
American R. R. Express Co., Express	1.64
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	2.89
Langille Bros., Filing Saws	.85
Burgess Garage, Repairing	26.50
W. & L. E. Gurley, Supplies	8.22
Frost Insecticide Co., Supplies	38.56
Standard Oil Company, Supplies	185.60

 Total

 \$3,588.53

STREET LIGHTS

 Payments

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Dec.—1919	\$150.66
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Jan.—1920	147.09
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Feb.	146.53
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, March	144.77
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, April	153.31
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, May	140.03
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, June	138.16
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, July	137.07
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Aug.	140.31
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Sept.	147.99
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Oct.	158.75
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Nov.	182.69

 Total

 \$1,787.36

CEMETERY

 Payments

Rollins Bros., Supplies	\$ 7.00
Fritz Cunnert, Labor	207.50
John Peters, Labor	78.00
Highway Department, Labor	40.00
William Costello, Labor	6.00
Daniel Holman, Labor	5.25
Lincoln Water Works, Water Service	20.00

 Total

 \$363.75

LINCOLN LIBRARY

Payments

John F. Farrar, Treas., Balance Dog-tax 1918	\$ 93.71
John F. Farrar, Treas., Dog-tax returned 1919	427.43
John F. Farrar, Treas., Appropriation	700.00
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Total	\$1,221.14

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Payments

Thomas J. Dee, Rent of Hose-house	\$ 15.00
Thomas J. Dee, Care of Hose	20.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services at Fires	3.00
Thomas J. Dee, Cash paid to men	3.75
Doherty Garage, Storing Fire Truck	100.00
Doherty Garage, Labor and Supplies	52.75
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Total	\$194.50

PAYMENT OF BORROWED MONEY

Payment

First National Bank, Payment of Note	\$15,000.00
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INTEREST ACCOUNT

Payments

Old Colony Trust Co., Interest on Note	\$291.67
Commissioners Sinking Fund, Int. on Borrowed Money	406.94
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Total	\$698.61

MOTHERS' AID and SUPPORT OF POOR

Payments

State of Mass., Care of Andrew Kilfoye	\$275.00
Agnes Gilbert, Mother's Aid	165.00
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Total	\$440.00

HYDRANTS AND OTHER WATER SERVICE

Payments

Water Commr's. 124 Hydrants	\$1,860.00
Water Commr's. Watering Troughs	572.00
Water Commr's. Water Service, Hall	50.00
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Total	\$2,482.00

WALTHAM HOSPITAL

Payment

Waltham Hospital, Appropriation	\$300.00
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RECAPITULATION

Payments

Schools	\$22,109.06
Highways	21,584.30
Highway Special	19,511.33
John A. Gaffey, Highway Special	10,629.72
Payment of Borrowed Money	15,000.00
Water	13,000.92
Miscellaneous	6,142.76
Moths	3,588.53
Hydrants and other Water Service	2,482.00
Street Lights	1,787.36
Lincoln Library	1,221.14
Interest	698.61
Mothers' Aid and Support of Poor	440.00
Cemetery	363.75
Waltham Hospital	300.00
Fire Department	194.50
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Total	\$119,053.98

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Board of Selectmen:—

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1920:

The roads came through the winter in very good condition owing to the large amount of snow which kept the surface covered, preventing the action of the frost on them. There has been very little work done on them this year, except to scrape the gravel roads and fill the ruts with crushed stone, patch the tarvia surfaced roads with patching material, and apply Tarvia B and sand to preserve them. They are in very good condition at the present time.

We have done work for the Moth Department, also for the Cemeteries and Water Works, and have kept the Public Buildings clear of ashes.

We have done very little private work this year, as the teams have been kept busy on town work.

We built about 4000 ft. of Tarvia penetration road, 16 ft. wide, on the Wheeler plain, so-called, at a cost of about \$5,500.00. The expenditures on this road were approximately:

Teams and Labor	\$1,000.00
Gravel and Stone	2,200.00
Tarvia	2,000.00
Roller and Coal	380.00

which was \$3,000.00 more than the sum appropriated for it.

I spent almost three months with the men and teams working on the State, County, and Town road near Baker Bridge,

building 3,500 ft. of penetration road, 18 ft. wide, which cost about \$20,000.00. The expenditures on this road were approximately:

Teams and Labor	\$8,350.00
Gravel and Stone	7,350.00
Oil and Tar	4,000.00
Roller and Coal	400.00
Culverts	300.00

The following is a partial list of what the men and teams have been doing through the year:

JANUARY, FEBRUARY, AND MARCH

I spent most of the time on snow work with the men and teams; also hired outside men and teams to help keep the roads open for travel.

APRIL

We crushed stone the first part of the month and the last part scraped the gravel roads and filled the ruts with crushed stone.

MAY

We patched the tarvia roads, etc. and started work on the plain roads.

JUNE

We finished the plain roads and worked for the Moth Department.

JULY

A greater part of the month was spent putting tarvia and sand on the tar surfaced roads.

AUGUST

We finished putting tarvia on the roads and started work on the Baker Bridge road.

SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER AND PART OF NOVEMBER

This time was spent working on the Baker Bridge road. The last part of November was spent patching other roads.

DECEMBER

We scraped the hills and cleaned out the gutters where they needed it. Worked around the Rooney Barn, and moved the hay and other equipment from the Hart barn to the Rooney barn.

Payments

The money expended was approximately as follows:

Hay, Grain, Straw, etc.	\$1,820.00
Stone, Gravel and Sand	2,500.00
Tarvia and Oil	7,125.00
Supplies	800.00
Rent	100.00
Steam Roller	220.00
Outside snow work	2,200.00
Shoeing and repairs	850.00
Superintendent's salary, labor, etc.	5,828.00

Total	\$21,443.00
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Amount of credits due the Highway

Department	\$2,500.00
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Amount spent on plain roads	5,500.00	8,000.00
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Total spent for snow work, maintenance and up-

keep of Highway Department for year	\$13,443.00
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The foregoing figures do not include the work done on the Baker Bridge road.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the Selectmen for the new accommodations for the horses and highway equipment. This is the first time since my appointment as superintendent of streets that there has been an opportunity to keep the carts and other equipment under cover when not in use. We now have ample room for all carts, wagons, etc.; also for the sprayers and other equipment belonging to the Moth Department.

CONDITION OF THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

The department consists of six (6) horses, three (3) sets of double harnesses, two (2) single harnesses, four (4) double carts, one (1) single cart, one (1) two-horse wagon, one (1) oil wagon, three (3) sleds, three (3) snow plows, tools, etc., all in fairly good condition.

The guide boards are in about the same condition as last year with the exception of the ones at two corners which have disappeared. I have ordered new ones to replace them, which will be put up very soon.

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,
Superintendent of Streets.

TREE WARDEN'S REPORT

During the past year the work has been carried on, as formerly, creosoting Gypsy Moth nests on our roadside trees and trees in the Cemeteries. This work continued until the middle of May, when we started spraying operations. All the roadside trees were sprayed and about two hundred acres of woodland with very good results. We also sprayed a large number of orchards with the small power sprayer. We were very fortunate this year in having good weather and in being able to obtain the services of the Highway Dept., as men and horses are hard to get at this season of the year when everybody is busy. The roadside thinning and cleaning, which consists of cutting brush and removing dangerous limbs and dead wood from trees along our roadsides, was done on a good many of our highways this year.

The total expenditure of this Department is \$3,588.53, of which there has been returned to the Town Treasurer \$1,962.25 on account of private work, leaving a net cost of \$1,626.28 to the Town.

I recommend that \$2,500 be appropriated for Moth and Tree Work.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. KELLIHER,

Tree Warden.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING AND TRUST FUNDS

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

TOWN OF LINCOLN

1920

Dr.

Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s of 1932	\$ 105.00
Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s of 1934	175.00
Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s (Serial)	80.00
Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s of 1936.....	560.00
\$500 Town of Lincoln Serial 4s due.....	500.00
Cash, C. L. Todd, Treasurer.....	1,500.00
Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1928	127.50
Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1938	63.75
Interest on Deposit.....	17.17
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	\$3,111.25

1920

Cr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$1,410.50
Dec. 31	Interest	6.59
	Balance	1,694.16
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		\$3,111.25

The Fund is invested as follows:

- \$1,500 Town of Lincoln 4s, Serial Bonds, due 1912 to 1923.
- \$14,000 Town of Lincoln 4s, due September, 1936.
- \$3,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due September, 1932.
- \$3,000 U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1928.
- \$1,500 U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1938.
- \$5,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due November, 1934.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

FUND FOR PURCHASE OF SCHOOLHOUSE BONDS

1920

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$16,994.94
		Loan to Town of Lincoln.....	18,000.00
		Interest	721.62
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			\$35,716.56
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1920

Cr.

Jan.	1	\$3,000 Schoolhouse Bonds due	\$ 3,000.00
		Coupons, Schoolhouse Bonds January 1.....	300.00
July	1	Coupons, Schoolhouse Bonds July 1.....	240.00
		Loan paid by Town of Lincoln.....	18,000.00
Dec.	31	Balance	14,176.56
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			\$35,716.56
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Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE G. TARBELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1920		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$ 29.70
		Dividends, West End St. Ry. Co. common.....	3.50
		Dividends, American Telephone & Telegraph Co.	32.00
		Dividends, West End St. Ry. Co. preferred.....	52.00
		Dividends, Boston & Lowell R. R. Co.....	44.80
		Coupons, United Fruit 4½s of 1923.....	11.25
		Coupons, Anglo American Oil Corpn. 7½s.....	18.75
		Sale, \$500 United Fruit Co. 4%.....	500.00
		Interest, \$500 United Fruit Co. 4%.....	5.00
		Interest on Deposit.....	4.08
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			\$701.08
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1920		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas. Lincoln Library.....	\$170.03
		\$500 Anglo-American Oil Corpn. 7½s of 1925....	500.00
		Interest, \$500 Anglo-American Oil Corpn. 7½s of 1925	1.35
		Balance on Deposit, principal account.....	29.70
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			\$701.08
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The Fund is invested as follows:

- 8 shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "B"
- 13 shares West End Street Railway Co. preferred.
- 8 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co.
- 4 shares American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
- 1 shares West End Street Railway Co. common.
- \$500 Anglo-American Oil Corpn. 7½s of 1925.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE RUSSELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1920	<i>Dr.</i>		
Jan. 1	Balance		\$33.02
	Dividends, Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred		
	"A"		15.75
	Interest		1.13
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			\$49.90
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1920	<i>Cr.</i>		
Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas. Lincoln Library.....	\$16.88	
	Balance on Deposit, principal account.....	33.02	
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			\$49.90
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The Fund is invested as follows:

- 7 shares Boston & Maine Railroad Co. preferred "A"
- 2 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JULIA A. BEMIS FUND FOR BENEFIT OF LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1920

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$35.34
		Dividends, West End Street Railway Co. common	7.00
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s.....	50.00
		Interest	1.20
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			\$93.54
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1920

Cr.

Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas. Lincoln Library.....	\$58.20
		Balance on Deposit, principal account.....	35.34
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			\$93.54
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The Fund is invested as follows:

- 2 shares West End Street Railway Company common.
- \$1,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1920		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$18.33
		Coupons, American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s	50.00
		Dividends, West End Street Railway Co. common	3.50
		Interest80
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			\$72.63

1920		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$54.30
		Balance on Deposit, principal account.....	18.33
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			\$72.63

The Fund is invested as follows:

- 1 share West End Street Railway common.
- \$1,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR LINCOLN LIBRARY

1920

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$ 81.97
	Dividends, West End St. Ry. Co. common.....	17.50
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s.....	100.00
	Interest	2.91
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		\$202.28

1920

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	120.41
	Balance on Deposit, principal account.....	81.87
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		\$202.28

The Fund is invested as follows:

- 5 shares West End Street Railway common.
- \$2,000 United States Rubber 5s, due 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR SILENT POOR

1920	<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance	\$737.65
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber 5s of 1947.....	100.00
	Interest	41.12
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		\$878.77
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1920	<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 31	Balance on Deposit, Income account.....	\$717.61
	Balance on Deposit, Principal account.....	1 61.16
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		\$878.77
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The Fund is invested as follows:

\$2,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR TOWN HEARSE

1920

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$125.09
	Dividend, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.....	45.00
	Interest on Deposit.....	8.10

 \$178.19

1920

Cr.

Dec. 31	Balance on Deposit.....	\$178.19
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The Fund is invested as follows:

15 shares Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND TRUSTEES

In Account with

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND

1920

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$1,114.66
	Dividends, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.....	150.00
	“ Boston & Providence Railroad Co.....	100.00
	“ Boston & Main R. R. Co. pfd. “A”... ..	22.50
	“ Old Colony R. R.....	70.00
	“ Boston & Albany Railroad Co.....	140.00
	“ American Tel. & Tel. Co.....	480.00
	“ Boston & Lowell R. R. Co.....	168.00
	“ West End Street Railway Co. pfd....	40.00
	“ Great Northern Railway Co. pfd....	175.00
	Coupons, American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s.....	50.00
	“ Southern Railway Co. 4s.....	120.00
	“ U. S. Rubber Co. 5s.....	50.00
	Interest on Deposit.....	26.34
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		<u>\$2,706.50</u>

1920

Cr.

Jan. 8	American Railway Express Co.....	.60
Jan. 12	Dorothy Parker	5.00
Jan. 23	R. D. Marson attraction.....	21.00
Jan. 30	W. F. Allan & Co. (Programs).....	8.00
Feb. 10	Doherty Garage	12.00
	United Theatre Equipm't Corp. (Moving picture)	56.14
Feb. 18	P. A. Carter, Postals and labor.....	5.69
Mar. 18	W. F. Allan & Co. (printing postals).....	3.00
Mar. 22	Edwin H. Hughes (Lecture).....	100.00
Mar. 26	Wollaston Glee Club Concert.....	128.42
Apr. 5	W. F. Allan & Co. (Programs).....	8.75
Apr. 9	Symphony Orchestral Club Concert.....	140.00
May 27	P. A. Carter, Postals and labor.....	2.75
June 4	Roy, Cropper & Speyer Trio Concert.....	135.00
June 14	W. F. Allan & Co. (printing postals).....	2.00

July 14	Doherty Garage	26.00
July 22	J. G. Ferguson, Postals and labor.....	3.15
July 31	Waltham Watch Co. Band Concert.....	150.00
Aug. 21	President Suspender Co. Band Concert.....	115.00
Aug. 25	P. A. Carter, Postals and labor.....	3.00
Nov. 13	P. A. Carter, Postals and labor.....	3.25
Nov. 15	National Exhibitors Circuit of N. E. (mov. pic.)	68.25
Nov. 18	R. D. Donaldson, labor on band stand.....	17.40
Nov. 22	W. F. Allan & Co. programs.....	10.00
Nov. 29	United Theatre Equip. Corp. (mov. pic.).....	84.97
Nov. 12	Boston Chamber Music Club Concert.....	150.00
Nov. 19	Albert L. Squier Lecture.....	65.00
Dec. 10	Tam O'Shanter	105.85
Dec. 21	Whittier Trio and John W. Peirce.....	100.00
Dec. 23	Donald Gordon, programs.....	7.30
Dec. 31	Balance	1,168.98
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		\$2,706.50

The Fund is invested as follows:

50 shares Pennsylvania R. R. Co.
 30 " Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "B"
 10 " Boston & Providence R. R. Co.
 16 " Boston & Albany R. R. Co.
 10 " Boston & Main R. R. preferred "A"
 10 " Old Colony R. R. Co.
 10 " West End Street Railway Co. preferred.
 60 " American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
 50 " Northern Idaho & Montana Power Co. pfd.
 25 " Great Northern Railway Co. preferred.
 \$4,000 New York Railways Co. 5s of 1942.
 \$1,000 New York Railways Co. 4s of 1942.
 \$3,000 Southern Railway Co. 4s of 1956.
 \$1,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s of 1946.
 \$1,000 U. S. Rubber Co. 5s of 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

The usual work of upkeep of the cemeteries has been done and they are now in a neat and attractive condition. Several shrubs and trees have been planted in barren places. Most of this work, as in former years, has been done by one of the Commissioners, Mr. Fritz Cunnert.

There has been received by the Town for the use of the Cemetery Commissioners during the year the sum of \$100 from Miss Ellen F. Whitney of Concord, the income to be used for the permanent care of the lot in the cemetery in which her father and mother are buried. There has also been received from the Estate of Abijah G. Jones \$300, the income of which is to be used for the care of his lot in the cemetery; and the sum of \$500 from the Estate of William Wallace Benjamin, the income to be used in the same manner.

All the money expended on the cemetery during the past year has been taken, according to the vote of the Town, from the cemetery funds in the hands of the Treasurer.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
FRITZ CUNNERT,
EDWARD F. FLINT,
Cemetery Commissioners.

THE TOWN TREASURER

In Account with

THE LINCOLN CEMETERY COMMISSION

1920

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance on hand.....	\$207.47
	Dividends, American Sugar preferred.....	28.00
	Dividends, Fitchburg pfd. (B. & M. pfd. "A")..	4.50
	Dividends, Union Pacific R. R.....	12.00
	Lot 115	20.00
	Interest	42.75
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		\$314.72

1920

Cr.

Dec. 31	Balance on hand.....	\$314.72
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The following is a list of securities held by the Town Treasurer :

Four shares American Sugar Refining Co. preferred.
 Three shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. preferred.
 Two shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "A."

Also the following funds for the care of lots in cemetery, all of which are deposited in the Middlesex Institution of Savings, Concord, Mass.

General Fund (\$363.75 drawn in 1920 and credited to the
 Town of Lincoln Cemetery Account)..... \$166.67
 Orilla J. Flint Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$48.46.
 Samuel Hartwell Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$48.46.
 Annie A. Ray Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$48.47.
 John H. Pierce Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$80.52.
 Maria L. Thompson Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$80.80.
 George F. Harrington Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$14.96.
 Francis Flint Fund, \$200 plus accumulated interest of \$37.30.
 William W. Benjamin Fund, \$500.
 Abijah G. Jones Fund, \$300.
 Ellen F. Whitney Fund, \$100.

(Signed) C. LEE TODD,
Town Treasurer.

REPORT OF COLLECTOR OF TAXES

There remain unpaid of the taxes assessed in 1919 \$ 461.96
and for the year 1920..... 3,003.50

making total uncollected taxes to January 1, 1921.. \$3,465.46

THOMAS L. GILES,
Collector.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Board of Assessors submit the following report:—

Number of residents assessed on property	256
“ non-residents assessed on property	91
“ assessed on polls only	150
“ acres of land assessed	8,740
“ dwelling houses assessed	281 $\frac{1}{3}$
“ horses assessed	211
“ cows assessed	464
“ neat cattle other than cows assessed	131
“ swine assessed	287
Value of land, exclusive of buildings	\$613,414.00
“ buildings, exclusive of land	1,069,245.00
“ real estate	1,682,659.00
“ personal estate	286,452.00
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Total valuation	\$1,969,111.00
State tax	5,320.00
County tax	2,331.00
State Highway tax	1,628.00
Town Grants	52,100.00
Overlayings	1,057.90
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Total	\$62,436.90
Deduct Income Tax	29,321.72
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Amount to be collected	\$33,115.18
No. of Polls	332
Rate of taxation, \$16.00 per \$1,000.00	

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,

Assessors.

RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Adams, John	25	.40			.40
Adams, Mary O., Exrx.....	2,500	40.00	64,000	1,024.00	1,064.00
Adams, Mary O.			8,800	140.80	140.80
A'Hearn, Timothy	400	6.40	2,000	32.00	32.00
Algeo, John O.....					6.40
Baker, Ella M., Heirs of.....			120	1.92	1.92
Baker, George M., Est.....	100	1.60	250	4.00	4.00
Baker, James E.....			50	.80	2.40
Bannon, Edward			1,600	25.60	25.60
Bamforth, Alice M.....	400	6.40	1,000	16.00	16.00
Banton, Edmund F.....	1,000	16.00			6.40
Bamforth, Fred J. D.....			200	3.20	16.00
Barnes, Thomas			3,000	48.00	3.20
Bean, Abbie E.....	800	12.80			60.80
Bean, Elmer A.....	1,200	19.20			19.20
Bemis, Julia A.....	1,500	24.00	3,000	48.00	72.00
Bent, Edwin S.....	500	8.00			8.00
Bent, Edwin S., et al.....			3,000	48.00	48.00
Blodgett, Emma S.....			20,000	320.00	320.00
Blodgett, Stephen H.....			7,500	120.00	120.00
Bowles, William	1,230	19.68			19.68

Boyce, Michael J.....	4,330	69.28	4,000	64.00	64.00
Boyce Bros.....					69.28
Boyce, Mary, Heirs of.....	100	1.60	7,000	112.00	112.00
Bradley, Edward E.....					1.60
Bradley, Sarah A. W.....			300	4.80	4.80
Bradstreet, Byron	650	10.40	7,000	112.00	122.40
Brennan, Joseph P.....	800	12.80			12.80
Briggs, Richard	400	6.40			6.40
Brooks, Estella M.....			5,000	80.00	80.00
Brooks, Helen W. Est.....	300	4.80	6,000	96.00	100.80
Brooks, Lorenzo E.....	500	8.00	4,300	68.80	76.80
Brooks, Sarah W.....	1,060	16.96			16.96
Brooks, Sarah W., et al.....			6,400	102.40	102.40
Brooks, William A.....	2,522	40.35			40.35
Brooks, Edgar C.....	480	7.68	2,000	32.00	39.68
Browning, George W.....	750	12.00	5,000	80.00	92.00
Brooker, Abbie	325	5.20	2,500	40.00	45.20
Brown, John A.....	350	5.60	6,000	96.00	101.60
Bu n'am, William A.....	155	2.48			2.48
Butcher, Charles R.....	175	2.80	550	8.80	11.60
Butcher, Henry A.....	300	4.80	1,500	24.00	28.80
Butcher, Mary	250	4.00	3,000	48.00	52.00
Butcher, Ralph E.....	525	8.40	1,000	16.00	24.40
Callkins, James T.....	100	1.60	2,600	41.60	43.20
Callkins, T. Alonzo	525	8.40	3,000	48.00	56.40
Campbell, Ellen L., Heirs of.....			7,500	120.00	120.00
Campbell, Fanny S.....	10	.16			.16
Campbell, Fanny S., et al.....			1,100	17.60	17.60

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Chapin, Arthur F.....	300	4.80			4.80
Chapin, Carrie B.....	12	.19	1,500	24.00	24.19
Chapin, Cyrus S.....	1,500	24.00			24.00
Chapin, George L., Heirs of.....	25	.40	6,400	102.40	102.80
Chapin, Henry C., Heirs of.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
Christiansen, Peter			500	8.00	8.00
Clark, John T.....	1,500	24.00	6,500	104.00	128.00
Coan, John H.....	2,075	33.20	3,400	54.40	87.60
Coan, Bridgett	1,025	16.40	3,000	48.00	64.40
Coan, Thomas F.....			400	6.40	6.40
Coburn, Edward S.....	1,600	25.60	5,000	80.00	105.60
Codman, Alice N.....	212	3.39			3.39
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.....	131	2.10			2.10
Codman, Hugh	335	5.36			5.36
Codman, Sarah F.....	3,888	62.21	50,000	800.00	862.21
Codman, Thomas N.....	3,306	52.90			52.90
Connors, Michael	1,050	16.80	1,000	16.00	32.80
Comeau, Frank.....	400	6.40			6.40
Conway, William J.....	800	12.80	1,500	24.00	36.80
Cook, Isaac B. Est.....	550	8.80	5,000	80.00	88.80
Corrigan, Patrick F.....			1,800	28.80	28.80
Corrigan, Mary			1,500	24.00	24.00
Cotona, Nicholas	650	10.40	700	11.20	21.60

Cousin, George L.....	3,725	59.60	4,000	64.00	123.60
Cousins, Harold S.....	850	13.60	4,200	67.20	80.80
Coutts, W. R.....	600	9.60			9.60
Crook, Russel G.....			3,000	48.00	48.00
Crowley, Mary A.....			1,000	16.00	16.00
Crow, Samuel	300	4.80			4.80
Cunnert, Carl T.....	630	10.08	3,000	48.00	58.08
Cunnert, Fritz	500	8.00			8.00
Cunningham, Francis H.....	500	8.00	4,000	64.00	72.00
Cunningham, George E.....	500	8.00	2,750	44.00	52.00
Danner, John	200	3.20	2,000	32.00	35.20
Davidson, Samuel S.....	50	.80			.80
Davis, Alfred G.....	1,750	28.00	4,500	72.00	100.00
Davison, Everett H.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
DeCordova, Julian	12,300	196.80	39,000	624.00	820.80
Dee, Thomas J.....	725	11.60	5,000	80.00	91.60
Delory, Agnes, Heirs of.....			700	11.20	11.20
Delorey, William.....	200	3.20			3.20
Dempsey, Edward	400	6.40	1,000	16.00	22.40
De Normandie, Charles L.....	2,050	32.80	6,000	96.00	128.80
De Palma, Nicholas	300	4.80	500	8.00	12.80
Diamond, James			800	12.80	12.80
Dean, Harold S.....	300	4.80			4.80
Denio, Fayette W.....	950	15.20	2,000	32.00	47.20
Dodge, Kate, F. P.....			3,200	51.20	51.20
Donaldson, Robert D.....	6,700	107.20	37,200	595.20	702.40
Doherty, Anthony J.....	400	6.40			6.40
Doherty, Dennis, Est.....			1,500	24.00	24.00

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Doherty & Corrigan	4,000	64.00	5,000	80.00	144.00
Doherty, Matthew H.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
Doten, Scott T.....	525	8.40			8.40
Dougherty, Andrew J.....	1,725	27.60	2,000	32.00	59.60
Dougherty, Dennis M.....	250	4.00			4.00
Dougherty, Matthew M.....	250	4.00			4.00
Domenichello, Domenick	650	10.40	1,300	20.80	31.20
Eaton, Winslow	425	6.80	4,000	64.00	70.80
Edgerly, Jonathan	1,450	23.20	20,500	328.00	351.20
Ehlert, Ellen	100	1.60	2,000	32.00	33.60
Ellms, Charles W.....	300	4.80	2,000	32.00	36.80
Emerson, Carl E.....	2,000	32.00			32.00
Farrar, Edward R.....	885	14.16	7,700	123.20	137.36
Farrar, George	30	.48			.48
Farrar, Herbert G.....			3,600	57.60	57.60
Farrar, Herbert W.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
Farrar, John F.....			2,600	41.60	41.60
Farrar, John F. & Son.....					24.00
Farquhar, David.....	1,500	24.00			24.00
First, Parish	700	11.20	8,600	137.60	148.80
Fleming, Mary	150	2.40	3,500	56.00	56.00
Flint Bros.	50	.80	300	4.80	7.20
Flint, Edward F.....	4,750	76.00	16,500	264.00	264.80
			2,500	40.00	116.00

Flint, Ephraim B.....	6,300	100.80	3,500	56.00	156.80
Flint, George, Heirs of.....			4,200	67.20	67.20
Floyd, Alice D.....			11,000	176.00	176.00
Flynn, William H., Heirs of.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
Foreman, Charles			1,500	24.00	24.00
Foster, Helen P.....	28	.45			.45
Gately, Annie E.....			15,000	240.00	240.00
Gates, Earl F.....	300	4.80	4,500	72.00	76.80
Giles, Anna H., Heirs of.....			100	1.60	1.60
Giles, Thomas L.....			1,800	28.80	28.80
Gordon, Donald.....	20,650	330.40	125,000	2,000.00	2,330.40
Graves, Albert S.....	1,000	16.00	15,000	240.00	256.00
Graves, George A.....	622	9.95	4,000	64.00	73.95
Graves, George A., Adm.....			39	.62	.62
Hagerty, Raymond E.....	300	4.80			4.80
Hamilton, Celeste C.....			600	9.60	9.60
Hamilton, D. Lincoln.....	300	4.80	2,400	38.40	43.20
Harding, William A.....	250	4.00	1,700	27.20	31.20
Harrington, George F., Heirs of.....			4,100	65.60	65.60
Hart, Joseph S.....	300	4.80	16,000	256.00	260.00
Hatheway, Conrad P.....	1,000	16.00	6,500	104.00	120.00
Hayden, Frederick A., Heirs of.....			1,600	25.60	25.60
Heath, Hattie B.....	400	6.40			6.40
Herman, Edwards W.....	1,050	16.80	12,800	204.80	221.60
Higginson, Jeanne A.....	3,000	48.00			48.00
Hilliard, Florence M.....	200	3.20	4,250	68.00	71.20
Hilliard, William M.....	600	9.60			9.60
Hills, George E.....	300	4.80	1,000	16.00	20.80

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Hodges, George C.....			7,500	120.00	120.00
Holman, Daniel			200	3.20	3.20
Howard, William L., Jr.....	300	4.80			4.80
Hunt, Merrill	1,700	27.20	8,000	128.00	155.20
Hunter Euphemia J.....	2,000	32.00	2,250	36.00	68.00
Hutton, James			800	12.80	12.80
Jensen, Niel	600	9.60	2,500	40.00	49.60
Johnson, John			150	2.40	2.40
Johnson, Walter W.....	325	5.20	5,455	87.28	92.48
Jones, George F.....			3,200	51.20	51.20
Jose, Eugene	780	12.48	3,000	48.00	60.48
Kelliher, John J.....	150	2.40	2,000	32.00	34.40
Kennedy, John	120	1.92	3,100	49.60	51.52
Kidder Bros.	1,500	24.00	10,000	160.00	184.00
King, Elizabeth L.....			1,400	22.40	22.40
Lahey, James.....			500	8.00	8.00
Laird, James T.....	100	1.60	2,000	32.00	33.60
Langille, Isaac	300	4.80			4.80
Larivie, Frank H.....	300	4.80			4.80
Lennon, James W.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
Lennon, John B.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
Lennon, Patrick J.....			850	13.60	13.60
Little, Amos R.....	1,000	16.00	30,000	480.00	496.00

Loring, Robert G.....	1,250	20.00	4,200	67.20	87.20
Lunt, Charles	250	4.00	1,200	19.20	23.20
Lynah, John D.....	50	.80	1,600	25.60	26.40
MacRae, Isaac N.....	700	11.20	2,100	33.60	44.80
Mann, David W.....	200	3.20	3,500	56.00	59.20
Martin, Ellen			2,100	33.60	33.60
Marcy, Florence E. G.....	580	9.28	15,200	243.20	252.48
McAskill, Dan	250	4.00			4.00
McHugh Bros.	1,650	26.40	4,000	64.00	90.40
McLean, Hector J.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
Miller, Clarence H.....	2,450	39.20	12,000	192.00	231.20
Morrisy, Annie	750	12.00	3,700	59.20	71.20
Naff, Fred	500	8.00			8.00
Nelson Bros.	2,580	41.28	7,500	120.00	161.28
Neville Bros.	1,950	31.20	4,000	64.00	64.00
Neville, Martin	310	4.96			4.96
Neville, William J.....			400	6.40	6.40
O'Brien, Frank M.....			1,200	19.20	27.60
O'Brien, James	525	8.40	35,000	560.00	576.19
Osgood, Emily L.....	1,012	16.19			1.60
Page, Frank L.....	100	1.60			12.00
Page, G. William.....	750	12.00			12.80
Page, Henry R.....	800	12.80			148.80
Page, Henry R., et al.....			9,300	148.80	55.60
Pearson, Burt W.....	475	7.60	3,000	48.00	317.80
Peck, Chester G.....	1,550	24.80	18,000	288.00	.80
Peirce, Alice M.....			50	.80	79.20
Peirce, William C.....	2,450	39.20	2,500	40.00	

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Peirce, William C., et al.....			9,500	152.00	152.00
Peterson, Andrew P.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
Pierce, Elsie	2,975	47.60	25,500	408.00	455.60
Pierce, Samuel H., Heirs of.....			8,000	148.00	148.00
Pollard, Ann D.....	7,825	125.20	36,500	564.00	689.20
Pollard, Frederick H.....			7,000	112.00	112.00
Pope, J. William.....	940	15.04	10,000	160.00	175.04
Rice, Edwin B.....	860	13.76	1,500	24.00	37.76
Richardson, Harriet C.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
Riley, William B.....	300	4.80			4.80
Roche, Bridget			5,400	86.40	86.40
Robus, Tamzin K.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
Rooney, Martin J.....	200	3.20			3.20
Rooney, Mary, Est.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
Rollins, Bros.....	2,300	36.80			36.80
Ryan, Daniel	500	8.00			8.00
Ryan, Mary			1,600	25.60	25.60
Ryan, Stacia			1,500	24.00	24.00
Sargent, Charles O.....	1,250	20.00	4,500	72.00	92.00
Scripture, Bertha	90	1.44			1.44
Scripture, Mary J.....	115	1.84			1.84

Seeckts, Albert	250	4.00	3,000	48.00	52.00
Sharkin, Martin	2,350	37.60			37.60
Shepard, Richard A.....			2,600	41.60	41.60
Sherman, Chester H.....	300	4.80			4.80
Sherman, Daniel E.....	1,800	28.80	6,500	104.00	132.80
Sherman, J. D., Heirs of.....			2,100	33.60	33.60
Sherman, Martin	350	5.60	1,300	20.80	26.40
Sherman, Roger	1,700	27.20	6,000	96.00	123.20
Sherman, Susan R.....			4,200	67.20	67.20
Sherman, William H.....	500	8.00	3,500	56.00	64.00
Silva, Manuel	500	8.00	2,500	40.00	48.00
Sims, John W.....			1,150	18.40	18.40
Smith, Charles S.....	5,450	87.20	47,900	766.40	853.60
Smith, Lillian P.....	500	8.00	3,000	48.00	56.00
Snelling, Howard	2,800	44.80	17,000	272.00	316.80
Snelling, Marion L.....	500	8.00	9,000	144.00	152.00
South Lincoln Dairy Co.....			4,000	64.00	64.00
Spalding, Nellie H.....	600	9.60	6,000	96.00	105.60
Stackpole, Katharine C.....	503	8.05			8.05
Storey, Moorfield	2,100	33.60	22,500	360.00	393.60
Tarbell, George G.....	1,000	16.00			16.00
Tarbell, George G., Trustees			20,000	320.00	320.00
Tasker, John	250	4.00	2,500	40.00	44.00
Todd, C. Lee.....	1,000	16.00	24,000	384.00	400.00
Tyler, Fred	400	6.40	1,650	26.40	32.80
Tyler, Watson			1,600	25.60	25.60
Warner, Henrietta	512	8.19			8.19
Warner, Henry E.....	2,900	46.40	9,500	152.00	198.40

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Watson, Samuel J.....			1,100	17.60	17.60
Watson, William E.....			1,100	17.60	17.60
Washburn, Mary J.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
Wetherbee, Samuel M.....	200	3.20			3.20
Welch, Helen F.....			6,500	104.00	104.00
Weston, Ann E.....			2,500	40.00	40.00
Weston, Georgianna H.....	250	4.00	5,000	80.00	84.00
Wheeler, Abner S., et al.....			2,500	40.00	40.00
Wheeler, Charles S.....			10,000	160.00	160.00
Wheeler, Charlotte	2,065	33.04			33.04
Wheeler, Charlotte, et al.....			3,500	56.00	56.00
Wheeler, C. Edgar.....	800	12.80	2,500	40.00	52.80
Wheeler, George R.....	850	13.60	4,650	74.40	88.00
Wheeler, Herman T.....	300	4.80	3,700	59.20	64.00
Wilkins, Ann M.....	100	1.60	5,000	80.00	81.60
Wilson, John	1,000	16.00	2,500	40.00	56.00
Woodhull, Charles E.....	300	4.80			4.80

NON-RESIDENT TAX PAYERS.

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Adams, Frank, Waltham.....			240	3.84	3.84
Ames, J. B., Heirs of, Cambridge.....			500	8.00	8.00
Bennett, Helen F., Brookline.....			4,000	64.00	64.00
Blodgett, Edwin S.....			1,500	24.00	24.00
Brooks, Katherine T., Charlestown....			240	3.84	3.84
Brooks, Mary A., Concord.....			650	10.40	10.40
Broughall, Stephen (Mrs.), Lexington...			20	.32	.32
Brown, Elvira, Lexington.....			250	4.00	4.00
Brown, William, Heirs of, Winchendon.			1,040	16.64	16.64
Carroll, Henrietta S., Malden.....			50	.80	.80
Carty, J. R., Heirs of, Concord.....			150	2.40	2.40
Cheeny, Arthur, Heirs of, Weston.....			150	2.40	2.40
Clapp, Clift R. }			65,650	1,050.40	1,424.77
and }					
Exrs., Boston.....					
Adams, Charles F. } H. L. Higginson Est.	23 398	374.37			
Cook, Arthur A., Brookline.....			4,500	72.00	72.00
Cousins, Fred E., Littleton.....			6,000	96.00	96.00
Curly, Annie, Boston.....			400	6.40	6.40
Cutler, James R., Somerville.....			175	2.80	2.80
Curry, John, Somerville.....			150	2.40	2.40
DeNormandie, Alice W., Boston.....	7.75	12.40	16,500	264.00	276.40

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DeNormandie, James, Boston.....					96.00
Donovan, Michael, Concord.....			60.00	96.00	96.00
Doyle, Mary, Heirs of, Weston.....			300	4.80	4.80
Edison Electric Illuminating Co., Boston	1.25	2.00	700	11.20	13.20
Eldredge, Arthur S., Est., Texas.....	20,000	320.00			320.00
Emerson, E. W., Concord.....	580	9.28			9.28
Emerson, R. W., Heirs of, Concord.....			2.75	4.40	4.40
Fallon, Matthew W., Jr., Boston.....			3.50	5.60	5.60
Fitchburg R. R. Co.....			6,100	97.60	97.60
Flanagan, Thomas, Concord.....			900	14.40	14.40
Fleming, John F., Somerville.....			150	2.40	2.40
Gile, Flora J., Concord.....			700	11.20	11.20
Gourgas, Francis R., Heirs of, Concord			130	2.08	2.08
Green, Grace, Wisconsin.....			50	.80	.80
Grimwood, Henry A., Weston.....			100	1.60	1.60
Griffin, John, Boston.....	4,080	65.28			65.28
Harrington, T. F., Waltham.....			100	1.60	1.60
Hawthorn, Annie M., Heirs of, Boston..			2,700	43.20	43.20
Hay, Robert T., Melrose.....			1,000	16.00	16.00
Hayden, Nellie B., Lexington.....			3,000	48.00	48.00
Heald, Mary E.....			160	2.56	2.56
			4,700	75.20	75.20

Heywood, George, Heirs of, Concord....	250	4.00	4.00
Huddleston, Lucy B., Heirs of, Malden..	300	4.80	4.80
Hunt, Lewis E., Somerville.....	1,000	16.00	16.00
Jones, Robert J., Chelsea.....	4,700	75.20	75.20
Kenna, James B., Framingham.....	700	11.20	11.20
Kaizer, Horace, Concord.....	2,500	40.00	40.00
Locke, Isaac, Heirs of, Boston.....	200	3.20	3.20
Lima, Anthony J., Lexington.....	1,000	16.00	16.00
Lovett, Robert W., Boston.....	5,000	80.00	80.00
Lynski, Thomas, Waltham.....	2,000	32.00	32.00
McGrath, Patrick, Concord.....	1,050	16.80	16.80
Malloy, John, Heirs of, Waltham.....	600	9.60	9.60
Moore, Sarah B., Concord.....	300	4.80	4.80
Mullen, T. F., Ayer.....	200	3.20	3.20
Munroe, Jonas, Heirs of, Lexington....	1,000	16.00	16.00
Neville, Henry P., Bedford.....	850	13.60	13.60
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.....	3,600	57.60	206.77
Norton, T. M., Bedford.....	15	.24	.24
Paul, William B. W.....	1,500	24.00	24.00
Richardson, T. C., Weston.....	150	2.40	2.40
Rickert, Paul, Waltham.....	6,200	99.20	99.20
Rodman, Emma, Nahant.....	5,000	80.00	80.00
Rogers, Edward H., Cambridge.....	10,500	168.00	200.40
Root, George F., Chicago.....	600	9.60	9.60
Scully, James J., Cambridge.....	5,000	80.00	80.00
Shaw, Nellie S., Woburn.....	100	1.60	1.60
Sherman, Herbert A., Weston.....	70	1.12	1.12
Smith, Eugene H., Waltham.....	100	1.60	1.60
	9,323	149.17	
	2,025	32.40	

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Smith, Eliza A., Portsmouth, N. H.....			200	3.20	3.20
Stewart, Frank, Waltham.....			100	1.60	1.60
Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.....	554	8.86			8.86
Storrow, Helen O., Boston.....			3,500	56.00	56.00
Storrow, James J., Boston.....	3,350	53.60	132,000	2,112.00	2,165.60
Stow, Nathan B., Heirs of, Concord....			180	2.88	2.88
Sweet, Benjamin D., Boston.....			3,500	56.00	56.00
Thorndike, Sturgis H., Boston.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
Walker, A. Bruce, Milwaukee, Wis.....			150	2.40	2.40
Western Union Tel. Co.....	1,953	31.25			31.25
Weston, Town of.....			850	13.60	13.60
Wheeler, Frank, Est., Concord.....			2,000	32.00	32.00
Wheeler, Harvey C., Boston.....	6,492	103.87	1,500	24.00	24.00
Wheeler, Henry A., Weston.....			100	1.60	1.60
Wheeler, H. N., Heirs of, Cambridge... }			400	6.40	6.40
Wheelwright, Mary C., and }			12,000	192.00	295.87
Cabot, Henry B., Exrs.,					
White, Ellen, Waltham.....			1,000	16.00	16.00
White, John, Auburndale.....			100	1.60	1.60
White, Robert, Lexington.....			1,000	16.00	16.00
Wilcox, Mrs. C. W.....			6,000	96.00	96.00
Woodhull, John H.....			6,500	104.00	104.00
Worcester, Alice, Waltham.....			500	8.00	8.00

TREASURER'S REPORT

The receipts into and payments from the Treasury for the year 1920 have been as follows, viz:

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand January 1st, 1920.....	\$10,321.60
T. L. Giles, Collector.....	31,308.29
Highway Department.....	2,895.00
Moth Department.....	1,962.25
Dog Tax 1919.....	427.43
Town Hall, from Lincoln Grange, 1919-1920.....	84.00
Town Hall.....	10.00
Boston Woven Hose.....	2.85
Rbate Quincy Fire Insurance Co.....	14.40
Town Loan.....	15,000.00
Lincoln School from City of Boston.....	468.07
Lincoln School from books.....	4.20
Concord Court.....	10.00
Cambridge Tax.....	259.70
Miscellaneous a/c from Lincoln Library for coal.....	169.30
Miscellaneous a/c from Lincoln Library for Janitor.....	200.00
Miscellaneous a/c from Lincoln School for coal.....	334.45
Cemetery account, from General Fund, Middlesex Institution for Savings.....	363.75
Masachusetts Income Tax 1917.....	117.50
Income Tax 1918.....	141.00
Income Tax 1919.....	1,140.00
Income Tax 1920.....	25,499.26
A/C Vocational Education Trust Fund.....	225.00
Tuition of children.....	407.93
Inspector of Animals.....	35.38
Corporation Tax (P. S.).....	1.31
School Fund 1919.....	1.51
A/C Highway special.....	10,178.00
Middlesex County A/C Highway special.....	7,195.68
Loan from Lincoln Water Works.....	3,500
Loan from Sinking and Trust Funds.....	18,000.00
Interest on Deposit.....	123.76
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	\$130,401.62

PAYMENTS

Loan, Paid Sinking and Trust Fund Commissions.....	5. 8.	\$18,000.00
Loan, Paid Lincoln Water Works.....		3,500.00
Middlesex County Tax.....		2,331.00
Town Note.....		15,000.00
Town Notes.....		15,000.00
Selectmen's orders.....		91,053.06
Balance January 1st, 1921.....		517.56

\$130,401.62

C. LEE TODD, Treasurer

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT

Outstanding Bonds January 1st, 1921

Issue of 1900 due 1930 Coupon $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, J & D	\$10,000.00
Issue of 1900 due 1930 Reg'd. $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, J. & D. (n/o Commonwealth of Mass.)	13,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Coupon $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M & S.....	6,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Reg'd. $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M & S. (n/o Commonwealth of Mass.)	3,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M & N.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1904 due 1934 Coupon 4s, M & S.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1906 due 1936 Coupon 4s, M & S.....	14,000.00
Issue of 1907 due 1937 Coupon 4s, M & S.....	4,000.00
Issue of 1907 Serial Coupon 4s, M & S (\$500 due each year)	3,500.00
Issue of 1911 Serial Coupon 4s, M & S (\$500 due each year)	1,500.00

\$65,000.00

REPORT OF BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

The Water Commissioners submit the following report:

During the year twelve regular and two special meetings have been held, at which all members were present.

The Town has been benefited by two very substantial improvements in the Water Works Department. First the old cement lined pipe on the Sandy Pond Road, which was partly replaced by iron pipe in 1919, has been wholly replaced from the corner at the center to the residence of Mr. C. S. Smith. The trench covering is fairly rough most of the way and ought to be leveled. The Board recommends that a substantial length of cement pipe be replaced every year. Second, the Board in August ordered a new Rumsey electric pump of a million gallons or more capacity per twenty-four hours, (the previous Rumsey having seven hundred fifty thousand capacity), which at this writing is being installed and should be ready for use in a few weeks, thus giving the Town two good up-to-date pumps, by the use of which it should always have a full reservoir.

The old steam equipment was sold, and has been removed from the building, leaving a boiler-room and coal pocket as surplus room at present.

For the last four years, and perhaps longer, the Water Department has been run in a hit or miss fashion; it has had no guide and no check. For instance, water is pumped from the station to the reservoir, and the amount pumped is fairly accurately known; but the amount distributed is not known at all. Several years ago, at a cost of some hundreds of dollars, a meter was installed at the reservoir to determine the amount of water distributed; but the meter, either on account of improper care or faulty installation, did not work long, and has never been of much value. The Town thought it advisable to

put considerable money into that apparatus; but the Town has not thought of its experiment since. If an engineer or water works expert in the town has any recommendation on this subject the Board would like to confer with him. Also, the blue print books of new gates, services, etc., have not been kept up to date, and a few old ones have never been charted. This matter ought to be attended to; but it is expensive work, and the Board has been trying to keep the expenses within the income, and has done so lately. But while this practice may seem satisfactory at the present, it may be highly expensive for the future, and the future is what the Town should be anticipating. It does not seem the part of economy to save a few dollars more, when it is certain that some day this data will be needed, and needed in a hurry, and can only be discovered through trouble and greater expense. The job has got to be done sometime, and the sooner the better.

The Board wishes to call the attention of the water takers to the fact that in the face of higher costs for repairs, labor and supplies, double the cost for renewing pipes, and during a dry summer, the same water tax has been maintained that has been in use for many years, and unless some unusually hard luck is encountered it probably can be kept for the future. But to keep the Water Works in a first class condition, not merely good enough to supply water most all the time, but to make it a department of which the Town can be proud, a little more revenue would be a help. The Town has as good water as any community and it should have as good a system, but the system can't give the best service when the revenue barely keeps it out of debt.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,

SUMNER SMITH,

JOHN J. KELLIHER,

Water Commissioners of Lincoln.

Water Report

PROFIT AND LOSS

Year ending December 31, 1920.

Dr.	Cr.	
	Rates	
To Expense	\$ 128.37	\$10,071.59
Power	1,929.79	875.80
Salaries	1,606.00	30.19
Interest	2,455.00	
Repairs and renewals	3,013.81	
Net gain	1,844.61	
	<u>\$10,977.58</u>	<u>\$10,977.58</u>
ASSETS		
Construction	\$187,410.22	\$65,000.00
Sinking Fund	27,410.00	4,787.51
Coal on hand	250.00	150,333.74
Wire	200.00	
Water bills uncollected 1918	82.00	
Water bills uncollected 1919	675.00	
Water bills uncollected 1920	3,200.00	
Cash on hand	894.03	
	<u>\$220,121.25</u>	<u>\$220,121.25</u>
LIABILITIES		
	By Water	
	Bonds outstanding	
	Town of Lincoln for Loan 1912	
	Surplus	

REPORT OF FIRE ENGINEERS

To the Board of Selectmen:—

The Board of Fire Engineers herewith submit their thirteenth annual report, ending December 31, 1920.

Force

Thirty-three men belong to the Department: one chief, six engineers, and twenty-six call men. There are three organized companies.

Apparatus

The apparatus belonging to the Department is as follows: Two wagons, one reel, one combination truck, twenty-five extinguishers, three ladders, hose, axes, and plaster hooks.

Location of Apparatus

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No. 2—Combination truck at Doherty's Garage, So. Lincoln.

No. 3—Hose house, John Dee Farm, Virginia Road, North Lincoln.

Fires

During the past year the truck has been called out as follows: 5 chimney, 5 grass, 2 wood, one auto, two houses at a loss of \$4,300, and 1 call to Wayland chimney fire.

ISAAC N. MACRAE, *Chief*,

THOMAS DEE

HERBERT FARRAR,

H. S. COUSINS

J. J. KELIHER,

ANDREW DOUGHERTY,

MATTHEW H. DOHERTY.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1920.

No written complaints of alleged nuisances have been received during the past year.

The fumigation of the school houses have been systematically performed as usual.

The contagious diseases reported were as follows:

- 17 cases of Mumps
- 14 cases of Influenza
- 1 case of Diphtheria
- 3 cases of Scarlet Fever
- 2 cases of Measles
- 9 cases of Whooping Cough
- 4 cases of Pneumonia
- 1 case of Chicken Pox

Respectfully submitted,

MARTIN WELCH,
R. D. DONALDSON,

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Jan. 19, 1921.

To the Board of Selectmen:—

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1920:—

Number of herds of cows	70
Number of milch cows	416
Number of young stock	146
Number of bulls	28
Number of oxen	2
Number of pigs	695
Number of sheep	10
Number of goats	13
Number of cows quarantined	4
Number of cows affected with tuberculosis	4

MARTIN M. WELCH,

Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED

To the Board of Health:—

I herewith submit the following report of animals slaughtered and inspected for the year ending December 31, 1920.

Pigs	165
Calves	38
Cattle	10
Pigs condemned	3
Calves condemned	2
Cattle condemned	0

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. KELLIHER,

Inspector of Slaughtering.

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees on the following pages submit the report of the Treasurer and Librarian for the year ending December 31, 1920.

The Trustees ask for an appropriation of \$700.00 and the Dog Tax.

C. LEE TODD,
Chairman of the Trustees.

DR. REPORT OF TREASURER OF LINCOLN LIBRARY FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1920. CR.

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1920.....	\$10.22
Interest on Deposit	2.60
Gift of G. G. Tarbell.....	32.00
From Fines and Sale of Books.....	58.56
Income of Liberty Bonds.....	8.50
“ from Codman Fund	43.75
“ Trust Funds, as follows:—	
J. A. Bemis Fund.....	\$ 58.20
J. H. Pierce Fund.....	54.30
A. J. Stearns Fund.....	120.41
G. Russell Fund	16.88
G. G. Tarbell Fund	170.03
Dog Tax Return	419.82
Town Appropriation	521.14
	700.00

\$1,796.59

EXPENDITURES

For Telephone	\$ 26.05
“ Light	63.84
“ Water	10.00
“ Repairs	38.40
“ Sundries, by Librarians.....	18.71
“ Library Supplies	9.36
“ Clerical Work	10.00
“ Delivering Books	18.00
“ Library Journal	5.00
“ Coal	196.74
“ Janitor	200.00
“ Magazines	76.90
“ New Books	318.01
“ Librarians, Income of Pierce Fund.....	54.30
“ Librarians' Salaries	500.00

Total of Expenditures \$1,545.31
Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1921..... 251.28

\$1,796.59

STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 1, 1921

Number of volumes in Library Jan. 1, 1920	10,924
Increase by purchase	162
Increase by gift	11
Number of volumes in Library Jan. 1, 1921	11,097
Total delivery of books for year	8,675
Largest delivery in one day	179
Smallest delivery in one day	42
Number of books delivered, fiction	3,745
Number of books delivered, non-fiction	2,217
Number of books delivered, juvenile	2,713
Number of days Library was open	103

Gifts of books, periodicals, etc., have been received from Mr. James Baker, Miss Annie Bartlett, Mr. S. Bigelow, Mr. Phillips Bradley, Mr. F. W. Denio, Mrs. Scott Doten, Mr. James F. Farrar, Miss Catharine Filene, Mr. Henry Ford, Mr. George Harlow, Mrs. Conrad Hathaway, Mrs. Webster Harrington, Prof. Frank W. C. Hersey, Mr. Frank Munsey, Mr. Winthrop Packard, Mr. Arthur J. Parker, Misses A. M. and J. I. Peirce, Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., Miss B. Scripture, Mr. J. Waldo Smith, Capt. George G. Tarbell, Miss Mabel Washburn, Miss Mary Wheelwright, Mrs. Charlotte W. Wilcox.

Many catalogues, reports, etc., have been received also, from various Libraries and other public institutions.

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Accessions to the Library for 1920

FICTION

Andrews, Mary Raymond Shipman. Joy in the morning	1036.25
Bacheller, Irving. Man For the Ages.....	733.22
Bacon, Frank. Lightnin'	735.29
Balmer, Edward. Resurrection Rock.....	721.22
Bartley, Nalbro. The gorgeous girl.....	733.24
Begbie, Harold. Convictions of Christopher Sterling...	1035.34
Bertrand, Adrien. Call of the soil.....	1035.38
Bottome, Phyllis. Servant of reality.....	1035.33
Bullard, Arthur. The stranger.....	721.23
Chamberlain, George Agnew. Taxi: An adventure romance	733.23
Chambers, Robert W. The crimson tide.....	913.26
Churchill, Winston. Dwelling place of light.....	1036.33
Cohen, Octavus Roy. Gray dusk.....	737.20
Conrad, Joseph. The rescue: Romance of the shallows	737.26
Dawson, Coningsby. Test of scarlet: Romance of reality	1035.31
Dell, Ethel M. The tidal wave: and other stories....	732.23
Doyle, Sir Arthur Conan. Valley of fear: A Sherlock Holmes novel	1018.28
Galsworthy, John. In Chancery.....	1018.27
———. Tatterdernalion	1018.26
Gibbs, George. The splendid outcast.....	737.21
Grey, Zane. Man of the forest.....	737.22
Haggard, H. Rider. Ancient Allan.....	732.22
Hall, Holworthy. Egan.....	721.21
Herbert, A. P. The secret battle.....	737.16
Hughes, Rupert. What's the world coming to?.....	722.22
Jacobs, W. W. Deep waters.....	1035.35
Jerome, K. J. All roads lead to Calvary.....	1015.28
Johnston, Mary. Michael Forth.....	725.31
King, Basil. Going West.....	1025.34
Latzo, Andreas. Judgment of peace.....	1018.25
Lee, Jennette. Rain-coat girl.....	1035.29
Lincoln, Joseph C. The Portygee.....	727.24

Locke, William J. House of Baltazar.....	915.14
McCutcheon, George Barr. Anderson Crow, detective..	1017.28
McGrath, Harold. Man with three faces.....	913.25
Mackenzie, Compton. Poor relations.....	727.25
MacManus, Seumas. Lo and behold ye!.....	1015.29
McNeil, Everett. Buried treasure.....	816.32
Marshall, Archibald. Many Junes.....	912.28
———. Sir Harry: A love story.....	1025.32
Merrick, Leonard. Man who understood women.....	1025.33
———. While Paris laughed.....	1035.36
Montgomery, L. M. Further Chronicles of Avonlea....	913.28
———. Rainbow valley	1035.32
Morley, Christopher. Haunted book shop.....	912.27
Oemler, Marie Conway. Woman named Smith.....	1035.30
Oldmeadow, Ernest. Coggin.....	737.23
Oppenheim, E. Phillips. Box with broken seals.....	1035.26
———. Cinema murder	737.25
———. Devil's paw	727.27
———. Great impersonation	725.33
———. The pawns count	735.30
Parker, Gilbert. No defence.....	727.26
Payne, Will. The scarred chin.....	737.18
Pelley, William Dudley. The greater glory.....	1025.30
Reid, Forrest. Pirates of the spring.....	721.24
Roche, Arthur Somers. Uneasy Street.....	725.32
Rolland, Romain. C��las Breugnon.....	1035.28
Shute, Henry A. Real diary of the worst farmer.....	737.19
Singmaster, Elsie. Basil Everman.....	732.25
Steiner, Edward A. Sanctus Spiritus and company.....	737.17
Stevenson, Robert Louis. Treasure Island: Edited with explanatory notes and introduction by Frank W. C. Hersey	923.9
Swinnerton, Frank. September	926.26
Taylor, Katharine Haviland. Barbara of Baltimore...	737.27
Thurston, E. Temple. City of beautiful nonsense.....	732.26
———. World of wonderful reality.....	1035.25
Tracy, Louis. Strange case of Mortimer Fenley.....	913.24
———. Wings of the morning.....	913.27
Train, Arthur. Tutt and Mr. Tutt.....	737.15
Underwood, Ruth. A living legacy.....	748.23
Vance, Louis Joseph. The dark mirror.....	732.24
Van Slyke, Lucille. Little-Miss-By-The-Day.....	735.28
Vorse, Mary Heaton. The Prestons.....	737.24
Walpole, Hugh, Jeremy.....	1035.27

Walsh, George Ethelbert. Boy Vigilantes of Belgium.	846.26
Ward, Mrs. Humphrey. Harvest.....	914.27
———. Helena	1035.37
West, V. Sackville. Heritage.....	1025.31
Wiggin, Kate Douglas. Ladies-in-waiting.....	1036.34
Willsie, Honorè. The forbidden trail.....	926.27

BIOGRAPHY

Bishop, Joseph Buckland. Theodore Roosevelt's letters to his children	646.14
Bispham, David. A Quaker singer's recollections.....	646.18
Cody, Louisa Frederici. Memories of Buffalo Bill.....	645.22
Hersey, Frank Cheney Editor. Sir Walter Raleigh.....	646.15
Holme, John G. Life of Leonard Wood.....	646.16
Howe, M. A. DeWolfe. George Von Lengerke Meyer: His Life and public services.....	646.13
Kellogg, Vernon. Herbert Hoover: The man and his work	646.19
Paton, Lucy Allen. Elizabeth Cary Agassiz. A biography	646.17
Parker, Cornelia Stratton. An American Idyll: Life of Carleton H. Parker.....	645.21
Radzwill, Princess Catherine (Count Paul Vassili) Disillusions of a Crown Princess; being the story of the married life of Cecile, Ex Crown Princess of Germany	645.13
Thayer, William Roscoe. Theodore Roosevelt: An intimate biography	645.19
Tucker, William Jewett. My generation: An autobiographical interpretation	645.20

TRAVEL AND DESCRIPTION

Collins, Joseph. My Italian observations and reflections in Italy during the last year of the war.....	415.26
Kipling, Rudyard. Letters of travel: 1892-1913.....	447.18
Stuck, Hudson. A winter circuit of our Arctic coast. A narrative of a journey with dog-sled around the entire Arctic coast of Alaska.....	421.25
Wharton, Edith. French ways and their meaning.....	447.17

RELIGION

Brown, Charles Reynolds. Yale talks.....	1114.21
Hodgkin, Henry T. Lay religion.....	1112.18

DRAMA

Drinkwater, John. Abraham Lincoln: A play with an introduction by Arnold Bennett.....	1426.21
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REFERENCE

Lowell, D. O. S. Munsey-Hopkins genealogy.....	Ref. R. R.
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EUROPEAN WAR AND RELATED SUBJECTS

Barton, George. Celebrated spies and famous mysteries of the great war.....	1521.22
Booth, Evangeline and Hill, L. G. War romance of the Salvation Army	1521.19
Davis, Malcolm W. Open gates to Russia.....	1521.25
Davison, Henry P. American Red Cross in the great war	1521.23
Duffy, Francis P. Father Duffy's story: A tale of humor and heroism of life and death with the fighting Sixty-ninth	1513.18
Haines, Donal Hamilton. The Dragon flies.....	816.31
Hill, David Jayne. American world policies.....	1336.28
Janis, Elsie. The big show: My six months with the A. E. F. forces	1521.21
Keith, Eric A. My escape from Germany.....	1521.24
Keynes, John Maynard. Economic consequences of the Peace	1521.26
Lauder, Harry. Between you and me.....	1528.13
Maurice, F. Major General. Last four months: How the war was won.....	1521.18
Ransome, Arthur. Russia in 1919.....	1537.26
Roosevelt, Kermit. War in the Garden of Eden.....	1526.34
Simonds, Frank H. History of the world war: America and Russia. Vol. IV.....	361.5
Wister, Owen. A straight deal, or the ancient grudge..	1528.15

JUVENILE

Anadottir, Holmfridur. When I was a girl in Iceland..	1246.8
Baker, Olaf. Shasta of the wolves.....	846.29
Barbour, Ralph Henry. Full-back Foster.....	814.36
Blaisdell, Albert F. and Ball, Francis K. Pioneers of America	846.28

Burgess, Thornton W. Bowser the hound.....	1246.2
———. Burgess bird book for children.....	832.25
———. Mrs. Peter Rabbit	1246.1
Cadby, Carine. Puppies and kittens and other stories..	1216.28
Canfield, Dorothy, and others. What shall we do now? Five hundred games and pastimes. A book of sug- gestions for children's games and employments...	832.26
Collins, A. Frederick. Boy's airplane book.....	1221.30
Colum, Padric. Girl who sat by the ashes.....	1216.27
Craddock, Mrs. H. C. Where the dolls lived.....	821.31
Curtis, Alice Turner. Little maid of old Philadelphia...	815.28
Davis, Richard Harding. Boy Scouts: and other stories for boys	1246.3
Duffield, Kenneth Graham. Four little pigs that didn't have any mother.....	1236.30
Dunn, J. Allen. Jim Morse: South sea trader.....	814.37
Ernst, Clayton H. Blind trails.....	1226.30
Evans, Frank E. Daddy Pat of the Marines: Being his letters from France to his daughter Townie.....	846.27
Evison, Millicent. Rainbow gold.....	1246.11
Fraser, Chelsea Curtis. Boy's book of battles.....	814.35
Gray, Joslyn. Rosemary Greenaway.....	1246.5
Grey, Zane. Young forester.....	1246.18
———. Young lion hunter	1246.15
Lavarre, William J. Up the Mazaruni for diamonds....	813.30
Lippincott, Joseph Wharton. Red Ben: The fox of Oak Ridge	1231.26
Meiklejohn, Nannine Lavilla. Cart of many colors....	815.31
Mitton, C. E. Book of London.....	813.29
Murray, Clara. Wide awake primer.....	832.27
Olcott, Frances Jenkins. The wonder garden.....	1246.6
Perkins, Lucy Fitch. Italian twins.....	1246.17
———. Scotch twins	843.27
———. Spartan twins	1246.16
Phillips, Ethel Calvert. Wee Ann.....	813.31
Pier, Arthur Stanwood. Dormitory days.....	815.29
Seaman, Augusta Huiell. The crimson patch.....	1246.14
Sedgwick, Anne Douglas. Childhood in Brittany eighty years ago	1226.29
Skinner, Ada M. Dramatic stories for reading and acting	846.30
Spyri, Johanna. Little curly head; The pet lamb.....	825.32
Wilson, E. N. The white Indian boy: Story of Uncle Nick among the Shoshones.....	815.30
Wright, Mabel Osgood. Gray lady and the birds.....	1246.7

MISCELLANEOUS

Adams, Henry. The degredation of the democratic dogma	1513.20
Bates, Katherine E. Sigurd our golden Collie: And other comrades of the road.....	1524.19
Bott, Allan. Eastern nights and flights: A record of Oriental adventure	1537.27
Coolidge, Calvin. Have faith in Massachusetts: A collection of speeches and messages.....	1528.14
Du Bois, W. E. Burghardt. Dark water: Voices from within the veil	1524.20
Falve, J. Henri. Mason bees.....	145.3
Filene, Catharine. Careers for women.....	1336.22
Hudson, W. H. Book of a naturalist.....	1521.26
Packard, Winthrop. Old Plymouth trails.....	1513.19
Parker, Carleton H. The casual laborer and other essays	1525.27
Roberts, Octavia. With Lafayette in America.....	1513.17
Sharp, Dallas Lore. Face of the fields.....	1528.16
———. The whole year round.....	1521.28
Smith, J. Russell. The world's food resources.....	213.22

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF LINCOLN
FOR THE
SCHOOL YEAR 1920



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, <i>Chairman</i> ,	Term expires 1922
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY, <i>Secretary</i> ,	Term expires 1921
GEORGE G. TARBELL	Term expires 1923

Superintendent of Schools
CHARLES H. MORSS

Teachers

Junior High Grades VII - VIII-IX

GEORGIA RATHBURN
MARION D. PARKER

Grammar Grades V-VI

HELEN RATHBURN
DORIS HAYES

Grammar Grade IV

OLIVE G. RICH

Primary Grade III

LOUISE DUCLOS

Primary Grade II

JENNIE M. WHEATON

Primary Grade I

HATTIE B. HEATH

Manual Training and Drawing

ERNEST T. THOMPSON

Attendance Officer

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Janitor

EDWARD GRAFF

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Winter Term begins Monday, January 3, 1921, ends Friday, March 18, 1921; eleven weeks.

Spring Term begins Monday, April 4, 1921, ends Friday, June 17, 1921; eleven weeks.

Fall Term begins Tuesday, September 6, 1921, ends Friday, December 23, 1921; sixteen weeks.

Winter Term begins Monday, January 2, 1922.

Length of school year 1921-1922, thirty-eight weeks.

School Finances

In following out the policy of paying salaries that would attract good teachers and help to retain them in Lincoln, your committee has established a definite schedule of yearly advancement for the teachers, whereby grade teachers who remain with us receive an increase of one hundred dollars yearly, and high school teachers an increase of one hundred and fifty dollars yearly, these increases to be effective until maximums of fifteen hundred dollars and sixteen hundred and fifty dollars, respectively, are reached. This policy has been adopted with a view to enhancing in every way possible the probability of our teachers remaining with us. It is hoped that when the number of teachers graduating from normal schools become large enough to care for the demand for new teachers, that the effect of such an equalization of supply and demand will be reflected in fewer changes in our teaching force.

With the amount received from the Commonwealth and from other sources, your committee has been able to keep practically within the appropriation granted by the town for this year. It will be noted that the greatest increase in the expenditures were for salaries and High School tuition, both of which items have increased materially.

For the year 1922, to carry on the school work, will require an appropriation of \$26,000, which sum is recommended by your committee.

Below will be found a grouped statement of expenditures for the present year, together with other sums, received from outside sources and credited to the school account.

Also attached hereto is the report of the Superintendent for the ensuing year. In this report are mentioned certain

important matters, some having been referred to by your committee. One mentioned particularly, is that of the employment of a school nurse, which position is required to be filled, according to a recent law passed by the Legislature.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY,
GEORGE G. TARMER,
EDITH B. FARRAR

arrangement of the whole transportation system will have to be made.

Without taking into consideration the added expense incidental to the re-opening of the South School, and including the matter of additional transportation, to continue the school work as at present arranged, your committee would recommend an appropriation by the town of twenty-two thousand dollars for the present year.

Owing to the illness of Mr. Morss, the Superintendent, the superintendent's report will undoubtedly have to be omitted from the Annual Town Report.

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY,
GEORGE G. TARBELL,

School Committee.

SUMMARY OF SCHOOL EXPENSES FOR YEAR 1920

Appropriation for 1920.....	\$20,000.00
Salaries of Supt., teachers and janitor.....	11,119.00
High School tuition.....	2,813.24
High School transportation.....	545.85
Local transportation	4,245.08
Incidental repairs on building.....	65.15
Barge repairs	15.30
Fuel	1,004.86
School physician	200.00
School supplies	1,919.57
Miscellaneous expenses	33.53
New chairs	225.00
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Total	\$22,187.58

AMOUNT RECEIVED BY TOWN OF LINCOLN ON ACCOUNT OF SCHOOLS:

City of Boston, on account of tuition.....	\$468.07
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on account of tuition of children.....	407.93
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on account of vocational and industrial schools.....	225.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, school fund 1919	1.51
C. H. Morse, books sold.....	4.20
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Total	\$1,106.71

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, S.S.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said County:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote at Town Meeting for the transaction of Town Affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Monday, the seventh day of March next at 11:30 o'clock o'clock A. M., by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the seventh day of March, then and there to act on the following Articles:

The polls for voting the Australian ballot will be open at 12 o'clock noon and may be closed at 6:30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers, and any other officers required by law to be elected

by ballot or otherwise, also any committees, commissioners and trustees.

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector for one year.

Two Constables for one year.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of Trustees for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

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Also to vote "Yes" or "No" upon the following question: "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this Town?"

ART. 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

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ART. 7. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year, beginning January 1st, 1921, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor payable in one year from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from taxes of the present municipal year.

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ART. 15. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to improve the schoolhouse grounds, or take any action with reference to the matter.

HEREOF FAIL NOT.

And make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 18th day of February, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

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REPORT OF THE OFFICERS
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TOWN OF LINCOLN
FOR THE YEAR 1921

ALSO
THE REPORTS OF THE
SCHOOL AND OTHER COMMITTEES
FOR THE YEAR 1921



BOSTON :
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TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1921-1922

Town Clerk.

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

CHARLES S. SMITH	Term expires	1924
JOHN F. FARRAR	" "	1922
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	" "	1923

Board of Health.

GEORGE G. TARBELL	Term expires	1924
MARTIN M. WELCH	" "	1922
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	" "	1923

Assessors.

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN	Term expires	1923
WILLIAM C. PEIRCE	" "	1922
HERBERT G. FARRAR	" "	1924

Treasurer.

C. LEE TODD

Collector of Taxes.

THOMAS L. GILES

Auditor.

JAMES W. LENNON

Constables.

JOHN J. KELLIHER
 GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM

Commissioners of Trust Funds.

CHARLES S. SMITH	Term expires 1924
C. LEE TODD	" " 1922
DONALD GORDON	" " 1923

Tree Warden.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Trustees for Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures.

EDWARD F. FLINT	Term expires 1924
C. LEE TODD	" " 1922
DONALD GORDON	" " 1923

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY JOHN T. CLARK

Trustees of Lincoln Library.

GEORGE G. TARBELL	JOHN F. FARRAR
C. LEE TODD	
CHARLES S. SMITH, Chairman of Selectmen, <i>ex-officio</i>	
ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, Chairman School Committee, <i>ex-officio</i>	

Registrars.

CHARLES S. SMITH	JOHN F. FARRAR
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	WILLIAM C. PEIRCE

School Committee.

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY	Term expires 1922
GEORGE G. TARBELL	" " 1923
EDITH B. FARRAR	" " 1924

Water Commissioners.

JOHN J. KELLIHER	Term expires 1922
SUMNER SMITH	" " 1923
ROBERT R. HUNTER	" " 1924

Field Drivers.

JAMES T. RYAN	EDWARD F. BOYCE
HUBERT G. HUTTON	JEREMIAH J. MOYNIHAN

Fence Viewers.

JOHN F. FARRAR	WILLIAM H. SHERMAN
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Surveyor of Lumber.

ELMER A. ROLLINS

Measurers of Wood and Bark.

JOHN F. FARRAR	ELMER A. ROLLINS
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Cemetery Commissioners.

CHARLES S. SMITH	Term expires 1924
EDWARD F. FLINT	" " 1922
FRITZ CUNNERT	" " 1923

*Special Police, Appointed by the Selectmen for 1921, Sworn by the
Town Clerk.*

ISAAC LANGILLE	HERBERT G. FARRAR
WILLIAM M. HILLIARD	LORENZO E. BROOKS
FREDERICK H. POLLARD	EDWARD J. HOGAN
WINSLOW A. EATON	

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Proceedings of a Town Meeting held
March 7, 1921

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said
County:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln qualified to vote at Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in said Lincoln on Monday, the seventh day of March next, at 11.30 o'clock A. M., by posting a copy of this Warrant by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town, seven days at least before the first day of March, then and there to act on the following Articles:

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ART. 7. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year beginning January 1, 1921, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor payable in one year from the date thereof; all debts incurred under authority of this vote—shall be paid from taxes of the present municipal year.

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HEREOF FAIL NOT.

And make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 26th day of February, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

The following return is on the back of the Warrant:

Lincoln, February 28, 1921.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices, and one in the Railroad Station seven days before date of said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

Pursuant to the above Warrant the meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk at 11.30 A. M. Warrant read by the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 1. John J. Kelliher was chosen Moderator. Mr. Kelliher resigned. Sumner Smith was chosen Moderator on the second ballot. The Moderator appointed Thomas J. Dee as Ballot Clerk. (Sworn.) Andrew John Dougherty and William C. Peirce, Jr., as Tellers. (Sworn.)

Voted: That when this meeting adjourn it do so to meet again at 2 o'clock P. M. Saturday next.

The polls were opened at 12 o'clock noon, at 6.45 o'clock P. M. it was voted to close the polls.

There were 245 Ballots cast. The total agreed with the check list used by the Tellers and the counter on the Ballot box. The result of the Ballot was as follows:

ART. 2.

Town Clerk.—

William C. Peirce (Sworn)	229 votes
Blanks	16 "

Selectman, for three years.—

Charles S. Smith (Sworn)	214	votes
Scattering	5	"
Blanks	26	"

Assessor, for three years.—

Herbert G. Farrar (Sworn)	223	votes
Anthony J. Doherty	2	"
Blanks	20	"

Treasurer.—

C. Lee Todd (Sworn)	222	votes
Blanks	23	"

Collector of Taxes.—

Thomas L. Giles (Sworn)	227	votes
Blanks	18	"

Auditor.—

James W. Lemon (Sworn)	225	votes
Blanks	20	"

Constables.—

John J. Kelliher (Sworn)	210	votes
George E. Cunningham (Sworn)	204	"
Isaac Langille	1	"

School Committee, for three years.—

Edith B. Farrar (Sworn)	201	votes
May Bodley	29	"
Blanks	15	"

Water Commissioner, for three years.—

Robert R. Hunter (Sworn)	124	votes
William H. Sherman	103	"
Blanks	18	"

Board of Health, for three years.—

George G. Tarbell	220	votes
Frank L. Page	1	"
Blanks	24	"

Tree Warden.—

John J. Kelliher (Sworn)	220	votes
John J. Connair	1	"
Blanks	24	"

Cemetery Commissioner, for three years.—

Charles S. Smith (Sworn)	200	votes
Scattering	2	"
Blanks	43	"

Commissioner of Trust Funds, for three years.—

Charles S. Smith	203	votes
Scattering	2	"
Blanks	40	"

**Trustee for Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures,
for three years.—**

Edward F. Flint	224	votes
Blanks	21	"

Question.—

Shall License be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this Town

Yes	66	votes
No	138	"
Blanks	41	"

March 12, 1921.

Adjourned Town Meeting called to order at 2 o'clock P. M. The Town Clerk read the result of the Ballot. The following officers were then chosen:

Field Drivers.—

James T. Ryan
Edward F. Boyce
Hubert G. Hutton
Jeremiah J. Moynihan

Fence Viewers.—

John F. Farrar (Sworn)
William H. Sherman (Sworn)

Surveyor of Lumber.—

Elmer A. Rollins (Sworn)

Measurers of Wood and Bark.—

John F. Farrar (Sworn)
Elmer A. Rollins (Sworn)

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.—

Conrad P. Hatheway
John T. Clark

ART. 3. Voted: That the Reports of Town Officers, Committees and Trustees as printed in the Town Report be accepted.

ART. 4.

Appropriations.—

For Schools	\$17,500.00
For Transportation of Children.....	4,500.00
For Support of Poor.....	500.00
For Highways and Bridges.....	12,000.00

Voted: That the sum of \$7,500.00 be appropriated for the Walden Pond Road, so-called, to be expended by the Selectmen in conjunction with the State and County, and that \$3,000.00 of this appropriation be taken from money in the Treasury.

For Library, Dog Tax and.....	700.00
For Cemeteries (taken from Cemetery Fund) ..	500.00
For Board of Health.....	200.00
For Tree Warden.....	2,500.00
For Miscellaneous Expenses	6,000.00
For Hydrant and other Water Service.....	2,400.00
For Waltham Hospital Free Bed.....	300.00
For Street Lamps.....	1,800.00
For Fire Department.....	200.00
For Payment of Water Bonds (taken from Water Works income).....	1,000.00
For Water Works Sinking Fund (taken from Water Works income).....	1,500.00
For District Nurse.....	600.00

ART. 5. Voted: That the taxes be collected in the same manner as last year.

ART. 6. Voted: That the compensation of the collector be $1\frac{3}{4}\%$ of the amount collected.

ART. 7. Voted: That the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year beginning January 1, 1921, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor payable in one year from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 8. Voted: That the Water Board collect the water rates within three months after the date of the bill.

ART. 9. Voted: To appropriate the sum of \$4,500.00 for transporting school children.

ART. 10. Voted: That the Selectmen be instructed to take such action as is necessary to secure street and commercial lighting in the north part of the Town.

ART. 11. Voted: That a committee of three, consisting of Henry E. Warner, James E. Baker and Henry R. Page, be appointed to investigate the matter of housing the Town teams and report at some future meeting.

ART. 12. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$600.00 to guarantee the salary of a Public Health Nurse from September 1, 1921 to March 1, 1922, with the understanding that the Town be reimbursed to the amount of the fees collected by the nurse for her services.

ART. 13. Voted: To accept the article.

ART. 14. Voted: That a committee consisting of Herbert G. Farrar, Donald Gordon, Winslow A. Eaton, Thomas L. Giles, Anthony J. Doherty, be a committee to investigate the whole matter of a playground and report at a special Town meeting to be called by the Selectmen at a convenient time at the request of the committee.

ART. 15. Voted: To pass over.

Voted to adjourn.

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

May 28.

The following men have this day been appointed by the Selectmen, as Special Police for the Town of Lincoln:

William Craig of Concord.

James H. Craig of Concord.

Harry Patterson of Concord.

Louis Frasee of Concord.

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

JURY LIST FOR 1921

As Prepared by the Selectmen of Lincoln

<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Occupation</i>
Adams, John	South Lincoln	Business Man
Bamforth, Fred J. D.	Lincoln	Farmer
Brooks, Lorenzo E.	Concord, R. D.	Farmer
Chapin, Arthur F.	Lincoln	Clerk
Codman, Thomas N.	South Lincoln	Retired
Cousins, Harold S.	Lincoln	Farmer
Crook, Russel G.	South Lincoln	Sculptor
Davis, E. Russell	South Lincoln	Clerk
Dougherty, Matthew F.	Waltham, R. F. D.	Carpenter
Farrar, John F.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Flint, Ephraim B.	Lincoln	Farmer
Foreman, Charles F.	South Lincoln	Carpenter
Giles, Thomas L.	South Lincoln	Painter
Gordon, Donald	South Lincoln	Lawyer
Hamilton, D. Lincoln	Lincoln	Farmer
Harding, William A.	South Lincoln	Carpenter
Lennon, James W.	South Lincoln	Clerk
Martin, Owen E.	South Lincoln	Farmer
McHugh, John E.	Concord, R. F. D.	Farmer
Peirce, William C., Jr.	Lincoln	Farmer
Sherman, Chester H.	Lincoln	Clerk
Tarbell, George G.	Lincoln	Farmer
Welch, Martin M.	South Lincoln	Farmer

There have been recorded during the year ending December 31, 1921, 10 Marriages, 18 Births, 22 Deaths.

Marriages Registered

Date of Marriage			Name	Residence
Jan.	28, 1921	{	John M. Taylor	Milford
		}	Margaret E. Diamond	Lincoln
Feb.	5, 1921	{	Frank Johnson	Carlisle
		}	Melissee Kendall	Carlisle
March	5, 1921	{	Angus William Martin	Concord
		}	Lilian Marie Harvey	Lincoln
April	23, 1921	{	Matthew F. Dougherty	Lincoln
		}	Emily Vickers	Concord
April	30, 1921	{	Stuart Gordon Dickson	Lincoln
		}	Christine Bell MacPhee	Lincoln
June	8, 1921	{	John Thomson	Lincoln
		}	Jean Moir Laird	Lincoln
July	2, 1921	{	Robert Burgess Dickson	Concord, N. H.
		}	Alice Erene Robus	Lincoln
July	24, 1921	{	John Jiacinto Furiga	Lincoln
		}	Lucy Ellen Webb	Lincoln
Oct.	20, 1921	{	John Geary	Lincoln
		}	Margaret Kelly	Jamaica Plain
Dec.	12, 1921	{	William Carret Peirce, Jr.	Lincoln
		}	Helen Constance Strong	Natick

Births Registered

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
June 3, 1915	Abigail Adams	John and Marian (Morse)
Aug. 2, 1920	Marcia Pollock Hobbs	Edward S. Jr. and Laura A. (Burgess)
Sept. 2, 1920	William Francis Higgins	Joseph F. and Mary E. (Roberts)
Nov. 5, 1920	William Field Herman	Edwards W. and Gladys DeY. (Field)
Jan. 19, 1921	Ann Bernard Tarbell	George G. and Eleanor (Fink)
Jan. 20, 1921	Loretia Foreman	Charles F. and Annie M. (Simonds)
April 13, 1921	Martha Jane Hunt	Merrill and Hope (Woods)
June 23, 1921	Josephine Eldredge	Arthur S. and Josephine (Sturgis)
July 14, 1921	Anna Civareo	Michael and Amelia (Marganella)
July 24, 1921	Still Born Di Meo	Sabatino and Maria (Giamfelicio)
Sept. 1, 1921	Ferdinand A. Wyman 3rd	Ferdinand A. and Minnie C. (Taintor)
S-pt. 28, 1921	Elizabeth Smith	Sumner and Alice (Wiggin)
Sept. 22, 1921	Ruth Irene Wellman	Irving S. and Esther (Rice)
Sept. 22, 1921	Raphrail Damico	Gaetano and Louise (Domenichello)
Oct. 1, 1921	Edith Louise Stone	Edward M. and Edith C. (Snelling)
Nov. 29, 1921	Still Born Dean	Harold S. and Emma W. (Burns)
Dec. 5, 1921	Still Born Richardson	Edward A. and Edna A. (Jones)
Dec. 29, 1921		Hazel L. Brooks

EXTRACT FROM THE REVISED LAWS Chap. 29 AS AMENDED BY CHAP. 280, ACTS OF 1912

Sect. 1. Physicians and midwives shall, within forty-eight hours after the birth of every child in cases of which they were in charge, mail or deliver to the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which the birth occurred a notice stating the date and place of the birth, giving the street number, if any, the number of the ward in a city and the family name. Failure to mail or deliver the said notice shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars for each offence. The notice required by this Section need not be given if the notice required by the following Section is given within forty-eight hours after the birth occurs.

Sect. 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a

child, and every householder, within forty days after the birth of a child in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the City or Town, in which such child is born.

Sect. 8. A parent, keeper, superintendent or other person who is required by Section 6 to give or cause to be given notice of a birth or death, who neglects so to do for ten days after the time limited therefor, shall forfeit not more than five dollars for such offence.

Deaths Registered

Date of Death	Name	Age		
		Y.	M.	D.
Jan. 17, 1921	John David Lynah	65	6	25
Jan. 18, 1921	John Kennedy	78	9	21
Feb. 19, 1921	Martha Prescott Baker	70	4	29
Feb. 21, 1921	Benjamin Herbert Giles	65	9	13
Mar. 9, 1921	Caroline Augusta Hayden	88	7	5
Mar. 24, 1921	Albert S. Ham	83	3	5
May 13, 1921	William Walter Dodge	71	10	18
May 20, 1921	William A. Brooks	56	9	5
May 21, 1921	Richard Hall Stearns	59	0	26
May 21, 1921	William H. Swaine	58	2	16
June 24, 1921	Daniel H. Sherman	88	1	8
July 24, 1921	Still Born Di Meo	0	0	0
Aug. 23, 1921	Mary C. Connair	1	0	13
Aug. 30, 1921	Francis McHugh	86	0	0
Aug. 30, 1921	Mary E. Sherman	84	8	2
Sept. 13, 1921	Marcia Finch Haines	76	1	0
Oct. 2, 1921	Charles Henry Rooney	37	2	12
Oct. 6, 1921	Emma Motley Eldredge	58	11	6
Nov. 5, 1921	Robert Bruce Lindsay	37	0	26
Nov. 8, 1921	Mabel Wheaton Hatheway	43	5	3
Nov. 29, 1921	Still Born Dean	0	0	0
Dec. 5, 1921	Still Born Richardson	0	0	0

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1203 yrs —
 87 minutes

Dogs Licensed in 1921

There have been 93 Dog Licenses issued to December 1, 1921, 72 Males, 15 Females, 5 Spayed Females, 1 Kennel, for which the sum of \$260.40 has been paid to the County Treasurer. Since December 1, 1921, there have been 3 Licenses issued, 2 Males, 1 Female, for which \$9.00 has been received.

There have been issued 43 Combination Hunters Certificates, 17 Fishermen's Certificates, 7 Minors Trappers' Certificates, for which the sum of \$43.20 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game.

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,

Town Clerk.

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REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

The Selectmen present the following report for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1921:

The Board was organized by the choice of Charles S. Smith, Chairman, and R. D. Donaldson, Secretary.

Appointments

The following appointments have been made during the year:

Sealer of Weights and Measures, John J. Kelliher.

Special Police, Herbert G. Farrar, Winslow A. Eaton, Lorenzo E. Brooks, Isaac Langille, John Campbell, Wm. M. Hilliard.

Forest Warden, John J. Kelliher.

Weigher of Coal, Hay and other Commodities, Elmer A. Rollins.

Inspector of Animals, Martin M. Welch.

Janitor of Public Buildings and Caretaker of Public Grounds, Edward Bannon.

The following table gives the appropriations made by the Town during the year 1921 and the appropriations recommended by the Board to be made at the next Annual Meeting:

	Appropriations for 1921	The Selectmen recommend the following appropriations for the ensuing year
For Schools,	\$17,500.00	\$19,500.00
Transportation of Children,	4,500.00	4,500.00
Support of Poor,	500.00	500.00
Highways and Bridges,	12,000.00	12,000.00
Station road,	.....	4,000.00
South Road (taken from money in treasury),	7,500.00	7,500.00
Library and Dog Tax,	700.00	800.00
Cemeteries (from Cemetery Fund)	500.00	500.00
Board of Health,	200.00	200.00
Tree Warden,	2,500.00	3,500.00
Miscellaneous Expenses,	6,000.00	6,000.00
Hydrants and other Water Service,	2,400.00	2,400.00
Waltham Hospital Free Bed,	300.00	300.00
Street Lamps,	1,800.00	1,800.00
Fire Department,	200.00	200.00
Payment of Water Bonds (to be taken from Water Works Income),	1,000.00	1,000.00
Water Works Sinking Fund (to be taken from Water Works Income),	1,500.00	1,500.00
District Nurse,	600.00	.....

During the last three years, besides the regular amounts appropriated and expended on highways, the Town has expended upwards of \$20,000 on special construction in the South part of the Town—the State and the County contributing like amounts. The roads which have been constructed from the Weston line to Mr. Bent's corner and from the Episcopal Church to the Concord line, cost \$62,000. The amount expended by the Town for these purposes, with the exception of \$4,000, has been taken from the surplus in the treasury.

The surplus available for the treasury is not so large as to relieve the Town from raising by taxation most of the amounts appropriated for the various departments this year. In the opinion of the Board a reasonable appropriation for special construction in the South part of the Town and on the station road should be made this year. The experience during the past year indicates that the cost of new construction will be reasonable. It is to the credit of the Highway Department that such a good road has been constructed and at a cost considered most reasonable by the State authorities.

The Board recommends an appropriation for special highway construction this year of \$7,500 for the road in the South part of the Town and \$4,000 for the station road. In connection with the construction of the South road it is assumed that the State and the County will contribute like amounts, and it is possible that the County may contribute something toward the station road, but there is no certainty of this.

That the citizens may not be obliged to refer to the last Annual Report for information in connection with the Lewis pickle factory, so-called, we report here what was said in that report in connection with the matter:

“About the middle of the year the Selectmen learned that the Lewis pickle factory property near the railroad station was to be sold and, after consultation among themselves and with other prominent officials of the Town, it seemed advisable that this property be purchased for Town purposes because it was

well adapted to the uses to which it would be put. It had the possibility of having two desirable tenements which could be used to advantage in connection with the Highway and other departments of the Town and was centrally located.

"The question presented at once was whether a special Town Meeting should be called to present the matter and have the action of the Town recorded before purchase was made. It seemed best, however, that, if satisfactory arrangements could be made, the purchase should be completed at once and the necessary repairs made so that the different departments, which would use this building, could be transferred to it before the end of the year. This policy was adopted and the Chairman of the Board took title to the property on the payment of \$4,200 and has since paid for improvements, alterations and repairs upwards of \$10,000.

"The question now is whether the Town will own and control this property at the actual cost, or take other action in connection with the matter. The officials have acted in the matter in entire good faith, believing that it is for the interests of the Town to own such accommodations as are provided by this purchase."

Our reasons for this belief are, that the location of this property is central; it provides the Town with ample and convenient accommodation for the Highway Department, which never before has had a permanent place; it also provides convenient accommodation for the Forestry and Moth Department; there is also a large area of 1,100 sq. ft. which can, when necessity arises, with a minimum of expense, be used by the Fire Department and for the storage of transportation barges for the schools, the necessity for its use in this respect does not yet appear, but whenever it does, this space is well adapted for such use. The necessity for such accommodations as are offered in this building will be, we believe, more and more apparent as the years go by.

With respect to the way the Town would be affected financially should it purchase this building, is shown by the following statement. Previous to its purchase and use by two of

the important departments of the Town, it cost the Town annually \$250 for rental, besides all the expense incurred for interior changes and repairs which were necessary for the accommodation of the Highway Department. The Forestry and Moth Department had various makeshifts for its accommodation, including in different years a part of the basement of the old schoolhouse in the center of the Town, part of the basement in the Town Hall, a small room in the barn which was rented by the Highway Department, and storage at various times in the sheds connected with the two churches in the center of the Town—a most unsatisfactory and expensive method of handling the business of that department.

The building under discussion offers as convenient and satisfactory arrangements for these two departments as can well be imagined, besides the available room for other departments above referred to, at a net cost to the Town of slightly less than obtained previously. Concretely the figures are as follows:

The expense for annual rental for the Highway and Moth Departments and the storage of two school barges previous to 1921 was.....		\$250.00
The annual expense if present accommodations owned by the Town:—Interest at 4% on \$16,000		\$640.00
Insurance		150.00
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		\$790.00
Income from rental of two tenements		600.00
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		\$190.00

making an annual balance in favor of the Town, if it owned this building for a permanent home in place of the most unsatisfactory conditions heretofore existing, of approximately \$50. This computation does not take into consideration the

loss which the Town would sustain on account of taxes, this is not an important item as, previous to the purchase by the Chairman of the Board, the property was assessed for only \$2,000. The annual expense for upkeep of the premises will be very small and, barring accidents, will be in as good condition 100 years hence as at the present time.

It is true that when this property was purchased it was not expected that the total cost completed for use would be as much as it was, nevertheless, the Board believes that it is economy from every standpoint for the Town to have the room and accommodation which this purchase provides.

Taxation

The Legislature of 1919 passed an act by which the distribution of the Income Tax collected by the State is made in such a way that the Town of Lincoln, and other towns similarly situated, will have each year returned to it a smaller sum than the year previous. This is indicated by the following figures:

There was returned to the Town of Lincoln on account of the State Income Tax in 1917 — \$42,469.81

1918 — 35,888.74

1919 — 33,812.55

1920 — 26,069.26

1921 — 23,275.38

In the succeeding years this sum will be approximately correspondingly reduced each year and, unless legislation is passed which will restore some of the former payments to the Town of Lincoln and other towns similarly situated, or legislation is passed which will affect them financially favorably in some other way, it is clear that the real estate of the Town will have to furnish the money by taxation for the Town's needs. This can mean but one thing, as has been pointed out in the report of the Selectmen in previous years, and that is an increasingly

high tax rate. It is to be hoped that the Legislature will realize that the legislation already passed is making the towns that were once rich, poor and that some remedial legislation will be passed.

It seems important, however, that while the Town has payments from the State on account of the distribution of the Income Tax, it is well to expend reasonable sums for necessary and permanent improvements and that expenditures for things which the Town can well do without should be restricted to necessities.

Finances

There are outstanding of the original issue of \$55,000 of Schoolhouse bonds \$9,000 and there is in the hands of the Sinking Fund Commissioners upwards of \$11,000 with which to liquidate these bonds when they are presented for payment.

The financial condition of the Town otherwise as on January 1st, 1922, is as follows:

The outstanding bonded indebtedness on account of the Water Works is, as reported by the Treasurer, \$64,000. The Sinking Fund, with which to retire the bonds at maturity, par value, is \$29,000, leaving a net bonded indebtedness on account of the Water Works of \$35,000. There is in the Water Works treasury \$472.64 and uncollected water rates of \$600, making the total available cash for the Water Works treasury \$1,072.64. The current indebtedness of the Water Board is \$1,500, crediting the cash and uncollected water rates of \$1,072.64 leaves the net indebtedness \$427.36, exclusive of \$4,712.00, which has been owed to the General Treasury for some years.

The Treasurer reports cash in the General Fund of \$5,553.19 and there are uncollected taxes of \$5,273.94, or a total available cash of \$10,827.13.

The available cash in the treasury of the Cemetery Department is \$1,120.96.

The business of the Town, as conducted by the various departments, is in their reports and is printed herein.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby submit a report of all the money paid out by the Town Treasurer by order of the Selectmen.

Mr. Todd has shown me all securities and investments held by him.

JAMES W. LENNON,
Auditor.

SCHOOLS

 Payments

Town Treasurer, Teachers' Salary, including Janitor's Services	\$11,477.25
Mass. Teachers Retirement Fund, Retirement Fund	404.75
Boston & Maine R. R., School Tickets	753.39
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Service of Light	43.46
Lincoln Water Commrs., Water Service	55.00
Doherty Garage, Auto Service	11.55
Waltham Coal Co., Coal	682.35
John F. Farrar, Wood	20.00
Doherty's Garage, Transportation of Children	3,421.40
Thomas J. Dee, Transportation of Children	883.20
David Farquahar, Transportation of Children	70.00
S. Rodman Snelling, Transportation of Children	11.64
William Conway, Transportation of Children	55.00
Town of Concord, Tuition	2,968.00
Town of Lexington, Tuition	160.00
City of Waltham, Tuition	524.17
City of Boston, Tuition	122.20
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	10.36
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	3.17
H. A. Wood, M.D., Professional Services	200.00
Edward Graf, Labor on School Grounds	16.25
Charles Morss, Office Expenses	43.22
Thomas J. McGann, Repairs on Barge	36.00
Daniels Printing Co., Printing	14.00
Thomas J. Dee, Taking Barge to Concord	5.00
Mrs. Bamforth, Caneing Chairs	2.25

R. T. Adams, Supplies	5.76
Mass. State Prison Supplies	12.52
Reformatory for Women, Supplies	8.76
Lexington Lumber Co., Supplies	79.54
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, Supplies	356.06
E. E. Babb Co., Supplies	110.42
Jordan-Marsh Co., Supplies	25.58
Milton Bradley Co., Supplies	37.75
Chandler & Barber Co., Supplies	10.57
Ginn & Company, Supplies	106.56
Current Events, Supplies	17.50
George Johnson, Supplies	34.00
A. G. Spaulding Co., Supplies	24.29
American Book Co., Supplies	95.75
Little, Brown & Co., Supplies	24.00
Benjamin Sanborn Co., Supplies	47.63
The McMillan Co., Supplies	23.82
Rollin Bros., Supplies	50.95
Industrial Magazine Co., Supplies	2.50
Ryan & Baker, Supplies	1.04
J. B. Lippincott, Supplies	1.26
Charles Scribners & Sons, Supplies	5.40
David Farquahar, Supplies	33.75
H. A. Wood, M.D., Supplies	4.40
Isaac N. McRae, Supplies and Labor	78.34
Mrs. A. J. Doherty, Teaching	15.00
Mrs. Edward Graf, Labor	3.00
Burgess Garage, Auto Service	3.00
William Stearns	4.36

\$23,217.12

HIGHWAY

 Payments

William Sherman, Supt. Labor on Highway	\$1,146.00
Joseph Mahan, Labor	673.50
Timothy Crowley, Labor	601.75
William H. Ryan, Labor	587.75
John W. Rooney, Jr., Labor	336.00
Martin J. Rooney, Labor	73.50
Patrick Craven, Labor	271.25
Italian Laborer, Labor	246.50
Frank Corneau, Labor	24.00
William Burgess, Labor	43.75
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	331.50
B. W. Brown Grain Co., Grain	791.73
J. Cushing Co., Grain	78.20
H. L. Alderman, M.D., Professional Services	20.00
Water Commissioners, Water Service	25.00
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	1.39
Boston & Maine R. R., Demurrage	6.00
Water Commissioners, Water Service	22.00
F. J. D. Bamforth, Mowing Grounds	12.00
C. S. Smith, Rent of Stable for Six Months	200.00
C. S. Smith, Rent of Tenement for Three Months	75.00
Sweeney Motor Trucking Co., Trucking	66.50
General Crushed Stone Co., Trucking	67.27
E. A. Sherman, Standing Grass	330.00
J. W. Milbury, Repairs	9.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Sign Boards	4.88
Joseph S. Hart, M.D., Rent of Barn, Ending Jan. 1, 1922	62.50
Stella Brooks, Rent of Land for Stone Crusher	25.00

Stella Brooks, Gravel Screw	4.00
George E. Cunningham, Damage to Plow & Repairs	28.00
George Monaldy, Compensation	48.00
Thayer-Griffith Co., Supplies	57.33
Peter Perry, Supplies	62.00
Joseph Breck & Son, Supplies	18.95
J. Higgins, Supplies	7.50
Standard Oil Co., Supplies	1.75
New England Machine Co., Supplies	10.55
General Crushed Stone Co., Supplies	1,488.59
Barrett Mfg. Co., Supplies	3,607.40
The Texas Company, Supplies	1,702.96
Rollins Bros., Supplies	1.25
Edson Mfg. Co., Supplies	2.34
Henry A. Grimwood, Supplies	3.35
R. B. McKinn Co., Supplies	14.30
Mass. Broken Stone Co., Supplies	257.38
C. H. Clark, Supplies	11.25
C. H. Dwinnell, Supplies	1.75
Benjamin W. Pike, Supplies	3.50
Edison Electrical Ill. Co., Light	5.60
F. J. D. Bamforth, Labor of Team	32.00
J. F. Farrar & Son, Labor of Team	10.00
William Stearns, Labor and Repairs	111.50
Ralph Butcher, Labor on Snow	12.00
George E. Cunningham, Labor on Snow	15.00
Robert B. Hunter, Labor on Snow	10.00
Howard Bamforth, Labor on Snow	8.00
C. Lee Todd, Sand	4.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Sand	43.75
Burgess Garage, Shoeing and Repairing	637.80
Dan McAskill, Shoeing and Repairing	276.60
George Hill, Gravel	7.50
Miss Carrie Sherman	5.00

\$14,654.37

WATER

 Payments

James T. Laird, Services as Engineer	\$1,248.00
James T. Laird, Services with Truck	59.50
Thomas L. Giles, Collecting Water Rates	175.00
Edison Electric Light Co., Power & Light	1,930.93
Sinking Fund Commissioners, Sinking Fund	1,500.00
Sinking Fund Commissioners, Interest on Loan	56.71
American R. R. Express Co., Express	8.59
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	20.09
State of Mass. Registered Bonds, Int. Due March 1	52.50
State of Mass. Registered Bonds, Due June 1	227.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons, Due Mar. 1	665.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons, Due May 1	87.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons, Due June 1	175.00
First Nat'l Bank, 2-\$500 Bonds	1,000.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons, Due Sept.	647.50
First Nat'l Bank, Interest on \$3,000 Bonds	52.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons, Due Sept.	17.50
Trust Fund Commissioners, Int. on \$2,000 Bonds	29.31
Trust Fund Commissioners, Int. on \$500 Bonds	5.72
Sinking and Trust Funds Commissioners, Interest on Loans	45.83
Waltham Coal Co., Coal	76.60
Doherty Garage, Auto Hire	5.47
Dan McAskill, Repairs	4.75
Thomas L. Giles, Collecting Water Rates 1921	200.00
Leonard Robinson, Reading, Reading Meter Charts	20.00
James Fahey, Labor	2.00
Hanley & Goulding, Labor and Supplies	91.75

I. N. McRae, Labor and Supplies	197.61
Barnes-Pope Electrical Co., Labor and Supplies	762.23
Builders Iron Foundry, Supplies	2.25
Eddy Valve Co., Supplies	46.95
Chandler & Farquahar Co., Supplies	.33
Nicholas Cotona, Supplies	13.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor and Supplies	326.18
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., Supplies	63.08
Walworth-Howland Co., Supplies	20.41
American Steam Garage Co., Supplies	3.50
Thomas Groom, Supplies	1.25
B. L. Makepiece, Supplies	4.23
Rumsey-Rump Co., Supplies	5,869.38
S. B. Church, Supplies	26.48
Davis & Farnum Mfg. Co., Supplies	169.02
Union Water Meter Co., Supplies	110.18
Rollin Bros., Supplies	17.84
W. T. Shackley & Son, Supplies	316.40
Chapman Valve Mfg. Co., Supplies	158.77
Walworth Mfg. Co., Supplies	59.53
National Meter Co., Supplies	17.59
Emma Bush, Labor	3.05
John Connair, Labor	2.50
H. A. Burgess, Labor	17.59
Thomas L. Giles, Over Payment of Water Rates	20.00
Edwin Rice, Wood	10.00
William H. Sherman, Cash Paid for Freight	3.60
Robert B. Hunter, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
John J. Kelliher, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
Sumner Smith, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
Sumner Smith, Cash Paid for Supplies	30.10
William H. Sherman, Cash Paid J. Gaffey, Rebate	10.00
Waltham Publishing Co., Printing	4.25
Herbert G. Farrar, Trucking	17.00
Burgess Garage, Trucking	19.30
H. L. Anderson, Electrical Work	24.89

Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	1.60
Thomas L. Giles, Postage	4.68
Thomas L. Giles, Clerical Work	35.00
First Nat'l Bank Coupons, Due Nov. 1	87.50
First Nat'l Bank Coupons, Due Dec. 1	175.00
Commonwealth of Mass. Reg'd Bonds	227.50
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	\$17,898.22

MISCELLANEOUS

 Payments

Edward Bannon, Care of Public Building, 1921	\$720.00
Edison Electric Ill. Co., Light, Town Hall	114.26
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Services	36.55
L. E. Brooks, Special Police, 1920	10.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Special Police, 1920	20.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Special Police, 1921	20.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Perambulating Town Lines	15.00
Isaac Langille, Special Police	25.00
Isaac Langille, Game Warden	2.00
William Stevens, Electrical Work	63.12
Anthony J. Doherty, Examining Town Records	7.00
C. Lee Todd, Registering Town Note	2.00
T. L. Giles, Collecting Taxes	300.00
M. M. Welch, Inspecting Cattle	58.25
Lincoln Water Commissioners, Water Service	50.00
W. L. Barnes, Returning Birth	.25
John J. Kelliher, Police Services	300.00
Hattie B. Heath, Taking Town Census	24.00
Edward Harrington, Painting Signs	28.00
W. C. Peirce, Jr., Use of Truck, Memorial Day	5.00
W. C. Peirce, Jr., Services at Elections	5.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services at Elections	5.00
A. J. Dougherty, Services at Elections	5.00
William Allen, Printing	26.88
C. Woodhull, Tuning and Care of Piano	15.00
P. Murphy, Printing	3.35
Waltham Publishing Co., Printing	13.75
Daniels Printing Co., Printing	541.90
Doherty Garage, Auto Service	91.71
American Express Co., Express	2.14

W. F. Farrar Co., Returning Death Notices	1.00
William Craig, Court Expenses	6.00
W. C. Peirce, Sr., Services as Town Clerk	125.00
W. C. Peirce, Sr., Services as Assessor	50.00
W. C. Peirce, Sr., Expenses and Postage	47.31
William H. Sherman, Services as Assessor	60.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Assessor	50.00
C. Lee Todd, Police Badge	1.00
C. Lee Todd, Services as Town Treasurer	300.00
James W. Lennon, Services as Auditor	125.00
William C. Robus, Labor at Fires	18.70
Isaac N. McRae, Labor at Fires	45.96
Winslow Eaton, Labor at Fires	11.50
Richard Corrigan, Labor at Fires	2.00
James Corrigan, Labor at Fires	3.50
Sidney McRae, Labor at Fires	1.00
George Flint, Labor at Fires	1.00
Rothwell McRae, Labor at Fires	1.50
Hubert Hutton, Labor at Fires	2.70
Herbert G. Farrar, Labor at Fires, Etc.	45.00
Isaac N. McRae, Labor at Town Hall	91.37
C. S. Smith, Postage	9.37
C. S. Smith, Selectman, Registrar and Overseer	200.00
John F. Farrar, Selectman, Registrar and Overseer	200.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Selectman, Registrar and Overseer	200.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor at Town Hall	260.25
John F. Farrar, Labor at So. Schoolhouse Grounds	12.00
Lincoln Special Highway, Labor	224.47
Fritz Cunnert, Labor	4.00
C. Lee Todd, Supplies	.55
Wright & Potter, Supplies	5.63
Thomas Groom, Supplies	5.35
Rollin Bros., Supplies	1.60
C. S. Smith, Coal	569.27
William H. Sherman, Supt. Labor a/c Ice Storm	120.00

John F. Farrar, Labor	26.25
John F. Farrar & Son, Labor with Team	52.50
George E. Cunningham, Labor with Team	67.75
Andrew J. Dougherty, Labor Team	85.50
Hector J. MacLean, Labor	9.75
Phillip Snelling, Labor	19.50
John Johanson, Labor	60.25
Martin J. Rooney, Labor	60.50
John W. Rooney, Jr., Labor	27.50
Timothy J. Crowley, Labor	80.00
W. H. Ryan, Labor	76.75
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	80.00
Joseph E. Mahan, Labor	80.00
John J. Shea, Labor	35.75
Joseph Eaton, Labor	3.25
Patrick Craven, Labor	10.00
George Monilla, Labor	13.00

\$6,100.44

MOTH

 Payments

John J. Kelliher, Services as Superintendent	\$1,199.50
Silas Fournier, Labor	876.50
James Corrigan, Labor	391.50
William Costello, Labor	783.50
Byron Lunt, Labor	26.00
John Peters, Labor	8.00
Henry A. Butcher, Labor with Team	133.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor and Supplies	31.88
Glidden Co., Supplies	24.00
Frost Insecticide Co., Supplies	10.50
Standard Oil Co., Supplies	201.90
Dan McAskill, Repairs	4.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	17.63
Doherty Garage, Truck Service	31.81
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	.94
John Shea, Labor	39.00
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	\$3,779.66

CEMETERY

 Payments

Fritz Cunnert, Labor	\$209.75
John Yablosky, Labor	39.00
Highway Department, Labor	25.00
John J. O'Leary, Labor	12.00
James Welch, Labor	29.75
Dennis O'Brien, Labor	21.00
Rollin Bros., Supplies	19.45
J. W. Milbury, Sharpening Lawn Mowers	5.00
Lincoln Water Works, Water Service	20.00
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	\$380.95

FIRE DEPARTMENT

 Payments

Doherty Garage, Labor and Supplies	\$118.49
Doherty Garage, Storing Truck	100.00
Burgess Garage, Labor on Truck	23.50
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co., Supplies	279.00
American La France Fire Engine Co., Supplies	26.00
E. & F. King Co., Supplies	15.68
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	\$562.27

STREET LIGHTS

 Payments

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Dec. 1920	\$173.67
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Jan. 1921	167.04
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Feb.	156.51
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Mar.	159.11
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Apr.	157.38
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, May	136.96
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, June	132.46
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, July	135.93
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, August	135.72
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Sept.	145.84
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Oct.	163.03
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Nov.	156.02
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	\$1,819.67

HIGHWAY — SPECIAL

 Payments

William Sherman, Services as Superintendent, including Money to Pay Laborers, Freight and Transportation	\$1,070.00
John F. Farrar, Labor	380.00
Joseph Mahan, Labor	368.25
Martin J. Rooney, Labor	204.75
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	364.00
John J. Connair, Labor	185.25

Timothy J. Crowley, Labor	364.00
John Driscoll, Labor	104.00
William Ryan, Labor	364.00
Michael Connors, Labor	258.40
George Monalla, Labor	373.75
John W. Rooney, Jr., Labor	205.25
John Johanson, Labor	175.50
George Cheney, Labor	20.00
Stoneham Laborers, Labor	435.00
Patrick Craven, Labor	90.00
David Puscill, Labor	16.25
Steam Roller Man, Labor	246.00
James B. Wood Co., Coal	115.00
Waltham Coal Co., Coal	43.78
General Crushed Stone Co., Stone	7,164.86
Texas Company, Supplies	2,392.50
C. H. Clark, Supplies	6.35
Barlow-Stockwell Co., Supplies	19.00
Wilson Lumber Co., Supplies	76.55
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor and Supplies	48.74
Highway Department, Labor of Horses	1,260.00
J. W. Mann, Gravel	193.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Sand	12.50
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	\$16,556.68

LINCOLN LIBRARY

Payments

John F. Farrar, Treas., Dog Tax Returned	\$237.91
John F. Farrar, Treas., Appropriation	700.00
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	\$937.91

PAYMENT OF BORROWED MONEY

Payment

First National Bank, Payment of Note	\$25,000.00
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INTEREST ACCOUNT

Payments

Old Colony Trust Co., Interest, Discount, Town Note	\$770.56
Sinking Fund Commrs., Interest on Funds	52.87
	\$823.43

MOTHERS' AID AND SUPPORT OF POOR

Payments

Agnes Gilbert, Mothers' Aid	\$144.00
State Department of Public Welfare, Care of Andrew Kilfoye	365.00
	\$509.00

BOARD OF HEALTH

Payment

John F. Farrar, Cleaning Watering Troughs	\$5.00
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HYDRANTS AND OTHER WATER SERVICE

 Payments

Lincoln Water Commrs., 124 Hydrants	\$1,860.00
Lincoln Water Commrs., Watering Troughs	572.00
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	\$2,432.00

WALTHAM HOSPITAL

 Payment

Waltham Hospital, Appropriation	\$300.00
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DISTRICT NURSE

 Payment

Caroline W. Viets, Services and Supplies	\$398.23
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RECAPITULATION

Payments

Schools	\$23,217.12
Payment of Borrowed Money	25,000.00
Water	17,898.22
Highway Special	16,556.68
Highways	14,654.37
Miscellaneous	6,100.44
Moth	3,779.66
Hydrants and Other Water Service	2,432.00
Street Lights	1,819.67
Lincoln Library	937.91
Interest Account	823.43
Fire Department	562.67
Mothers' Aid and Support of Poor	509.00
District Nurse Account	398.23
Cemetery	380.95
Waltham Hospital	300.00
Board of Health	5.00

\$115,875.25

TREE WARDEN'S REPORT

The Tree Warden submits to the Town his report for the year 1921.

During the past year the work has been carried on as formerly creosoting Gypsy Moth nests on the roadside trees, this work continued until the middle of May, when the spraying operations were started, all the roadside trees were sprayed and about two hundred acres of woodland with good results.

The roadside thinning and cleaning which consists of cutting brush and removing dangerous limbs and dead wood from trees along the roadside was done on a good many of our highways this year.

This department has its work cut out for it for at least the next five years to repair the damage done to the trees by the ice storm, the tree repairing now in need of being done is immense in quantity and will necessitate a large expenditure of money.

The total expenditure of this department is \$3,779.66 of which there has been returned to the town treasurer \$1,493.96 on account of private work, leaving a net cost of \$2,285.70 to the town.

I recommend that \$3,500 be appropriated for Moth and tree work this year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Tree Warden.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING AND TRUST FUNDS

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

WATER WORKS SINKING FUND

1921		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$ 1,694.16
		Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s of 1932	105.00
		Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s of 1934	175.00
		Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s (Serial)	60.00
		Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s of 1936	560.00
		\$500 Town of Lincoln Serial 4s due.....	500.00
		Cash, C. L. Todd, Treasurer	1,500.00
		Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1928.....	127.50
		Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1938.....	63.75
		Interest on Deposit	44.90
		Interest on Lincoln Water Works Loan.....	137.57
		Loan paid by Lincoln Water Works.....	7,500.00
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			\$12,467.88
1921		<i>Cr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Loan to Lincoln Water Works.....	\$ 7,500.00
		Loan to Lincoln Water Works.....	1,500.00
Dec.	31	Balance	3,467.88
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			\$12,467.88

The Fund is invested as follows:

- \$1,000 Town of Lincoln 4s, Serial Bonds due Sept. 1912 to 1923.
- \$1,500 Town of Lincoln 4s, Serial Bonds, due 1912 to 1923.
- \$14,000 Town of Lincoln 4s, due September, 1936.
- \$3,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due September, 1932.
- \$3,000 U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1928.
- \$1,500 U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1938.
- \$5,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due November, 1934.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

FUND FOR PURCHASE OF SCHOOLHOUSE BONDS

1921		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$14,176.56
		Loan to Town of Lincoln	15,000.00
		Interest	525.52
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			\$29,702.08
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1921		<i>Cr.</i>	
Jan.	1	\$3,000 Schoolhouse Bonds due.....	\$ 3,000.00
		Coupons, Schoolhouse Bonds, January 1.....	240.00
July	1	Coupons, Schoolhouse Bonds, July 1.....	180.00
		Loan paid by Town of Lincoln.....	15,000.00
Dec.	31	Balance	11,282.08
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			\$29,702.08
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Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE G. TARBELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1921	<i>Dr.</i>		
Jan. 1	Balance	\$ 29.70	
	Dividends, West End St. Ry. Co. common....	3.50	
	Dividends, American Telephone & Telegraph Co.	34.00	
	Dividends, West End St. Ry. Co. preferred....	52.00	
	Coupons, Anglo-American Oil Corp'n, 7½s.....	37.50	
	Sale, 4 American Tel. & Tel. Co. rights.....	2.06	
	Interest on Deposit.....	3.18	
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		\$161.94	<hr/>

1921	<i>Cr.</i>		
Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library....	\$130.18	
	Balance on Deposit, principal account.....	31.76	
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		\$161.94	<hr/>

The Fund is invested as follows:

- 8 shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "B" .
- 13 shares West End Street Railway Co. preferred.
- 8 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co.
- 4 shares American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
- 1 shares West End Street Railway Co. common.
- \$500 Anglo-American Oil Corp'n. 7½s of 1925.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE RUSSELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1921		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$33.02
		Interest99
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			\$34.01
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1921		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library....	\$.99
		Balance on Deposit, principal amount.....	33.02
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			\$34.01
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The Fund is invested as follows:

- 7 shares Boston & Maine Railroad Co. preferred "A"
- 2 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JULIA A. BEMIS FUND FOR BENEFIT OF LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1921		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$35.34
		Dividends, West End St. Ry. Co., common.....	7.00
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Company 5s.....	50.00
		Interest	2.02
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			\$94.36
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1921		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library....	\$59.02
		Balance on Deposit, principal account.....	35.34
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			\$94.36
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The Fund is invested as follows:

2 shares West End Street Railway Company common.
\$1,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1921	<i>Dr.</i>		
Jan. 1	Balance		\$18.33
	Coupons, American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s.....		50.00
	Dividends, West End St. Ry. Co. Common.....		3.50
	Interest77
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			\$72.60
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1921	<i>Cr.</i>		
Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library....		\$54.27
	Balance on Deposit, principal account.....		18.33
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			\$72.60
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The Fund is invested as follows:

- 1 share West End Street Railway common.
- \$1,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR LINCOLN LIBRARY

1921	<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance	\$ 81.87
	Dividends, West End St. Ry. Co. common.....	17.50
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s.....	100.00
	Interest	4.46
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		\$203.83
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1921	<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library....	\$ 121.96
	Balance on deposit, principal account.....	81.87
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		\$203.83
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The Fund is invested as follows:

5 shares West End Street Railway common.
\$2,000 United States Rubber 5s, due 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR SILENT POOR

1921		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$ 878.77
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber 5s of 1947.....	100.00
		Interest	42.98
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			\$1,021.75
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1921		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Paid on Selectmen's Orders.....	\$ 67.99
		Balance on Deposit, Income Account.....	792.60
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	161.16
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			\$1,021.75
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The Fund is invested as follows:

\$2,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR TOWN HEARSE

1921		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$178.19
		Dividend, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.....	33.75
		Interest on Deposit.....	10.73
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			\$222.67
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1921		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Balance on Deposit.....	\$222.67

The Fund is invested as follows:

15 shares Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND TRUSTEES

In Account with

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND

1921	Dr.	
Jan. 1	Balance	\$1,168.98
	Dividends, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.....	112.50
	“ Boston & Providence Railroad Co...	100.00
	“ Old Colony Railroad Co.....	70.00
	“ Boston & Albany Railroad Co.....	140.00
	“ American Tel. & Tel. Co.....	510.00
	“ West End St. Ry. Co.....	40.00
	“ Great Northern Railway Co. pfd....	175.00
	Coupons, American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s.....	50.00
	“ Southern Railway Co. 4s.....	120.00
	“ U. S. Rubber Co. 5s.....	50.00
	Railroad tickets returned.....	4.26
	Profit, sale and purchase Amer. Tel. & Tel. Co.	61.04
	Interest on deposit.....	28.27
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		<u>\$2,630.05</u>

1921	Cr.	
Jan. 15	Doherty Garage	\$ 13.50
Feb. 9	Postage and labor, P. A. Carter.....	3.25
Feb. 17	Programs, W. F. Allan & Co.....	10.00
Feb. 18	Albert L. Squier (Lecture).....	65.00
Feb. 25	Dorothy Parker (Concert).....	102.40
Mar. 4	Robert C. Murphy (Lecture).....	100.00
Mar. 4	B. D. B. Bourne (Stereopticon).....	13.34
Mar. 25	Shirley-Bennett (Concert).....	95.00
Mar. 11	Daniel A. MacKay (Lecture).....	25.00
Apr. 18	Doherty Garage	6.00
Apr. 18	Doherty Garage	4.00
July 16	Waltham Watch Co. Band.....	150.00
July 18	P. A. Carter (postals and labor).....	3.00
Nov. 2	P. A. Carter (postals, printing and labor).....	4.62
Nov. 10	J. W. Peirce (Concert).....	109.00
Nov. 12	H. Nash, Jr. (Printing).....	1.90

Nov. 18	Carveth Wells- (Lecture).....	103.00
Nov. 26	Edward Avis (Lecture).....	41.34
Dec. 5	P. A. Carter (postals, printing and labor).....	4.62
Dec. 12	Doherty Garage	8.50
Dec. 17	Geo. A. Sweetser and M. T. Yamamoto (Lecture)	77.43
Dec. 22	P. A. Carter (postals, printing, labor).....	3.82
Dec. 30	R. D. Donaldson (erecting and taking down band stand)	15.00
Dec. 31	Balance	1,670.28
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		\$2,630.05

The Fund is invested as follows:

50 shares Pennsylvania R. R. Co.
 30 " Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "B"
 10 " Boston & Providence R. R. Co.
 16 " Boston & Albany R. R. Co.
 10 " Boston & Maine R. R. preferred "A"
 10 " Old Colony R. R. Co.
 10 " West End Street Railway Co. preferred.
 60 " American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
 50 " Northern Idaho & Montana Power Co. pfd.
 25 " Great Northern Railway Co. preferred.
 \$4,000 New York Railways Co. 5s of 1942.
 \$1,000 New York Railways Co. 4s of 1942.
 \$3,000 Southern Railway Co. 4s of 1956.
 \$1,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s of 1946.
 \$1,000 U. S. Rubber Co. 5s of 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

No unusual work has been undertaken at the cemeteries during the current year. The grass has been kept cut and the trees and shrubs trimmed and an attempt has been made to keep the cemeteries in a neat and attractive condition. The work, as in former years, has been performed by one of the Commissioners, Mr. Fritz Cunnert.

The only income, other than interest income, which has been received during the year was from the sale of lots.

The severe ice storm during the latter part of November in the cemeteries, as elsewhere, has done a great deal of damage to the shade trees. These will be trimmed in the regular course to minimize the damage as much as possible.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
FRITZ CUNNERT,
EDWARD F. FLINT,
Cemetery Commissioners.

THE TOWN TREASURER

In Account with

THE LINCOLN CEMETERY COMMISSION

1921

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance on hand.....	\$314.72
	Dividends, American Sugar Refining preferred	28.00
	Dividends, Union Pacific R. R. preferred.....	12.00
	Lot 2 A	25.00
	Lot A 1	20.00
	Interest	21.23
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		\$420.95
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1921

Cr.

Dec. 31	Balance on hand.....	\$420.95
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The following is a list of securities held by the Town Treasurer:

Four shares American Sugar Refining Co. preferred.

Three shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. preferred.

Two shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "A."

Also the following funds for the care of lots in cemetery, all of which are deposited in the Middlesex Institution of Savings, Concord, Mass.

General Fund \$166.67 plus \$8.40 interest.

Orilla J. Flint Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$66.09.

Samuel Hartwell Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$66.09.

Annie A. Ray Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$66.10.

John H. Pierce Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$109.90.

Maria L. Thompson Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$110.18.

George F. Harrington Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$20.74.

Francis Flint Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$51.83.

William W. Benjamin Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$18.90.

Abijah G. Jones Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$11.33.

Ellen F. Whitney Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$3.78.

(Signed) C. LEE TODD,

Town Treasurer.

REPORT OF COLLECTOR OF TAXES

There remain unpaid of the taxes assessed in 1919	\$ 240.00
For the year 1920.....	696.48
And for the year 1921.....	4,337.46
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Making total uncollected taxes to Jan. 1, 1922..	\$5,273.94

THOMAS L. GILES,
Collector.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Board of Assessors submit the following report:—

Number of residents assessed on property	268
“ non-residents assessed on property	87
“ assessed on polls only	121
“ acres of land assessed	8,740
“ dwelling houses assessed	286 $\frac{1}{2}$
“ horses assessed	205
“ cows assessed	474
“ neat cattle other than cows assessed	91
“ swine assessed	379
Value of land, exclusive of buildings	\$ 707,911.00
“ buildings, exclusive of land	1,147,095.00
“ real estate	\$1,855,006.00
“ personal estate	292,253.00
Total valuation	\$2,147,259.00
State tax	5,320.00
Special state tax	250.80
County tax	2,836.34
Special county tax	203.39
State highway tax	1,628.10
Town grants	53,700.00
Overlayings	505.01
Total	\$64,443.64
Deduct Income Tax	25,792.98
Amount to be collected	\$38,650.66
No. of Polls	315
Rate of taxation, \$18.00 per \$1,000.00	

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,
WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
HERBERT G. FARRAR,

Assessors.

RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Adams, John	365	6.57	70,000	1,260.00	6.57
Adams, Mary O., Exrx.....	2,500	45.00	8,800	158.40	1,305.00
Adams, Mary O.			2,500	45.00	158.40
A'Hearn, Timothy			120	2.16	45.00
Baker, Ella M., Heirs of.....	100	1.80	100	1.80	2.16
Baker, James E.....	500	9.00	4,300	77.40	3.60
Bailey, Edward A.....			2,000	36.00	86.40
Bannon, Edward			1,500	27.00	36.00
Bamforth, Alice M.....	1,000	18.00			27.00
Bamforth, Fred J. D.....	400	7.20			18.00
Banton, Edmund F.....			500	9.00	7.20
Barnes, Thomas			3,500	63.00	9.00
Bean, Abbie E.....	875	15.75			78.75
Bean, Elmer A.....	1,200	21.60	3,650	65.70	21.60
Bemis, Julia A.....	1,500	27.00			92.70
Bent, Edwin S.....	500	9.00	3,500	63.00	9.00
Bent, Edwin S., et al.....			20,000	360.00	63.00
Blodgett, Emma S.....			8,500	153.00	360.00
Blodgett, Stephen H.....	1,000	18.00	3,500	63.00	171.00
Bowles, William	1,160	20.88	2,600	46.80	83.88
Boyce, Manley B.....					46.80

Boyce, Michael J.....				4,500	81.00	81.00
Boyce Bros.....	4,220	75.96			75.96	153.00
Boyce, Mary, Heirs of.....				8,500	153.00	9.00
Bradley, Sarah A. W.....				1,500	9.00	132.30
Bradstreet, Byron	350	6.30		7,000	126.00	14.40
Brennan, Joseph P.....	800	14.40				7.20
Briggs, Richard	400	7.20				6.30
Briggs, Richard, Jr.....	350	6.30				36.00
Brooks, Estella M.....				2,000	36.00	99.00
Brooks, Lorenzo E.....	500	9.00		5,000	90.00	19.08
Brooks, Sarah W.....	1,060	19.08				81.00
Brooks, Sarah W., et al.....				4,500	81.00	108.80
Brooks, William A. Est.....				6,000	108.00	54.90
Browning, Edgar C.....	550	9.90		2,500	45.00	130.50
Browning, George W.....	1,750	31.50		5,500	99.00	57.60
Bunker, Abbie	200	3.60		3,000	54.00	123.30
Burgess, John A.....	350	6.30		6,500	117.00	2.79
Burnham, William A.....	155	2.79				18.45
Butcher, Charles R.....	175	3.15		850	15.30	41.40
Butcher, Henry A.....	300	5.40		2,000	36.00	57.60
Butcher, Mary	200	3.60		3,000	54.00	60.84
Butcher, Ralph E.....	380	6.84		3,000	54.00	49.50
Calkins, James T.....	150	2.70		2,600	46.80	72.45
Calkins, T. Alonzo	1,025	18.45		3,000	54.00	135.00
Campbell, Ellen L., Heirs of.....				7,500	135.00	28.80
Campbell, Fanny S., et al.....				1,600	28.80	180.00
Carlson, Benjamin E.....	1,500	27.00		8,500	153.00	5.40
Chapin, Arthur F.....	300	5.40				

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Chapin, Carrie B.....			1,500	27.00	27.00
Chapin, Cyrus S.....	1,500	27.00			27.00
Chapin, George L., Heirs of.....	25	.45	6,400	115.20	115.65
Chapin, Henry C., Heirs of.....			2,000	36.00	36.00
Christiansen, Peter			700	12.60	12.60
Clapp, Clarence G.....	500	9.00			9.00
Clark, John T.....	1,500	27.00	7,000	126.00	153.00
Coan, John H.....	2,650	47.70	4,000	72.00	119.70
Coan, Bridgett	1,025	18.45	3,500	63.00	81.45
Coane, Thomas.....			600	10.80	10.80
Coburn, Edward S.....	1,600	28.80	5,000	90.00	118.80
Codman, Alice N.....	209	3.76			3.76
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.....	153	2.75			2.75
Codman, Hugh	290	5.22			5.22
Codman, Sarah F.....	4,025	72.45	65,000	1,170.00	1,242.45
Codman, Thomas N.....	3,305	59.49			59.49
Connors, Michael	650	11.70	1,150	20.70	32.40
Comeau, Frank.....	400	7.20			7.20
Conway, William J.....	700	12.60	1,900	34.20	46.80
Corrigan, Patrick F.....			2,000	36.00	36.00
Corrigan, Mary			2,000	36.00	36.00
Cotona, Nicholas	650	11.70	1,000	18.00	29.70
Cousin, George L.....	3,600	64.80	5,000	90.00	154.80

Cousins, Harold S.....	1,000	18.00	4,500	81.00	99.00
Coutts, W. R.....	600	10.80			10.80
Crook, Russel G.....			3,000	54.00	54.00
Crowell, Wendell.....	500	9.00			9.00
Crow, Samuel	300	5.40			5.40
Crowley, Mary A.....			1,000	18.00	18.00
Cunnert, Carl T.....	825	14.85	3,500	63.00	77.85
Cunnert, Fritz	500	9.00			9.00
Cunningham, Francis H.....	200	3.60	4,000	72.00	75.60
Cunningham, George E.....	500	9.00	3,000	54.00	63.00
Danner, John	1,000	18.00	3,000	54.00	72.00
Davidson, Samuel S.....	50	.90			.90
Davis, Alfred G.....	2,000	36.00	7,000	126.00	162.00
Davis, Prescott L.....	1,020	18.36	10,500	189.00	207.36
Davison, Everett H.....			2,000	36.00	36.00
Dean, Harold S.....	300	5.40			5.40
DeCordova, Julian	12,325	221.85	46,000	828.00	1,049.85
Dee, Thomas J.....	725	13.05	5,000	90.00	103.05
Delory, Agnes, Heirs of.....			1,000	18.00	18.00
Delorey, William	200	3.60	400	7.20	10.80
Dempsey, Edward	400	7.20	1,500	27.00	34.20
De Normandie, Charles L.....	2,250	40.50	6,000	108.00	148.50
De Palma, Nicholas	300	5.40	500	9.00	14.40
Diamond, James			800	14.40	14.40
Denio, F. Winchester.....	1,000	18.00	2,000	36.00	54.00
Dodge, Kate, F. P.....			3,500	63.00	63.00
Donaldson, Robert D.....	8,800	158.40	32,700	688.60	748.00
Doherty, Anthony J.....	400	7.20	4,500	81.00	88.20

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Doherty, Dennis, Heirs of.....					27.00
Doherty & Corrigan	2,850	51.30	1,500	27.00	141.30
Doherty, Matthew H.....			5,000	90.00	54.00
Dougherty, Andrew John.....	300	5.40	3,000	54.00	5.40
Dougherty, Andrew J.....	1,500	27.00	2,500	45.00	72.00
Dougherty, Dennis M.....	250	4.50		4.50	4.50
Dougherty, Matthew M.....	250	4.50		4.50	4.50
Dougherty, May M.....	400	7.20		7.20	7.20
Domenichello, Domenick	675	12.15	2,000	36.00	48.15
Eaton, Winslow A.....	425	7.65	9,000	162.00	169.65
Edgerly, Jonathan F.....	1,450	26.10	20,500	369.00	395.10
Ehlert, Ellen			2,000	36.00	36.00
Eldredge, Emma M.....	725	13.05			13.05
Ellms, Charles W.....	200	3.60	4,600	82.80	86.40
Emerson, Carl E.....	2,000	36.00	2,400	43.20	79.20
Farrar, Edward R.....	800	14.40	9,000	162.00	176.40
Farrar, George	30	.54			.54
Farrar, Herbert G.....			4,250	76.50	76.50
Farrar, Herbert W.....			2,500	45.00	45.00
Farrar, John F.....			3,000	54.00	54.00
Farrar, John F. & Son.....	1,250	22.50			22.50
Farquhar, David.....	900	16.20	9,500	171.00	187.20
First, Parish			3,500	63.00	63.00

Fleming, Mary	125	2.25	600	10.80	13.05
Flint Bros.			17,300	311.40	311.40
Flint, Edward F.	4,825	86.85	4,500	81.00	167.85
Flint, Ephraim B.	6,100	109.80	3,500	63.00	172.80
Flint, George, Heirs of			4,500	81.00	81.00
Floyd, Alice D.			11,000	198.00	198.00
Flynn, William H., Heirs of			2,500	45.00	45.00
Foreman, Charles			2,000	36.00	36.00
Foster, Helen P.	28	.50			.50
Gately, Annie E.			17,000	306.00	306.00
Gates, Edith M.	375	6.75	6,000	108.00	114.75
Gay, Arthur E.	200	3.60			3.60
Giles, Anna H., Heirs of			100	1.80	1.80
Giles, Thomas L.			2,150	38.70	38.70
Glover, Charles A.	50	.90	2,000	36.00	36.90
Gordon, Donald.	21,600	388.80	135,000	2,430.00	2,818.80
Graves, Albert S.	1,025	18.45	16,000	288.00	306.45
Graves, George A.	612	11.02	5,000	90.00	101.02
Graves, George A., Adm.			40	.72	.72
Hagerty, Raymond E.	300	5.40			5.40
Hamilton, D. Lincoln.	375	6.75	2,400	43.20	49.85
Hamilton, Celeste C.			600	10.80	10.80
Harding, William A.	200	3.60	2,000	36.00	39.60
Harrington, Alice.	100	1.80			1.80
Harrington, George F., Heirs of			4,100	73.80	73.80
Hart, Joseph S.	300	5.40	16,500	297.00	302.40
Hatheway, Conrad P.	1,000	18.00	6,500	117.00	135.00
Heath, Hattie B.	400	7.20			7.20

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Hernan, Edwards W.....	1,300	23.40	12,800	230.40	253.80
Higginson, Jeanne A.....	3,350	60.30			60.30
Hilliard, Florence M.....	200	3.60	4,500	81.00	84.60
Hilliard, William M.....	650	11.70	4,000	72.00	83.70
Hills, George E.....	100	1.80	1,500	27.00	28.80
Hodges, George C.....			7,500	135.00	135.00
Holman, Daniel			200	3.60	3.60
Howard, William L., Jr.....	300	5.40			5.40
Hunt, Merrill	825	14.85	9,000	162.00	176.85
Hunter Euphemia J.....	1,642	29.56	3,800	68.40	97.96
Hutton, James			1,000	18.00	18.00
Jensen, Niel	850	15.30	2,500	45.00	60.30
Johnson, John			150	2.70	2.70
Johnson, Walter W.....	325	5.85	5,455	98.19	104.04
Jones, George F.....	100	1.80	3,200	57.60	59.40
Jose, Eugene	1,000	18.00	3,400	61.00	79.20
Kelliher, John J.....			2,000	36.00	36.00
Kennedy, John, Est.....			3,100	55.80	55.80
Kidder Bros.	1,500	27.00	11,000	198.00	225.00
King, Elizabeth L.....			2,000	36.00	36.00
Lahey, James.....			1,000	18.00	18.00
Laird, James T.....	100	1.80	2,750	49.50	51.30
Lamont, Henry.....	250	4.50			4.50

Langille, Isaac	300	5.40			5.40
Lennon, James W.....			2,500	45.00	45.00
Lennon, John B.....			2,500	45.00	45.00
Lennon, Patrick J.....			1,300	23.40	23.40
Lewis, James P.....	500	9.00			9.00
Little, Amos R.....	1,000	18.00	30,000	540.00	558.00
Loring, Robert G.....	1,550	27.90	5,200	93.60	121.50
Lunt, Charles	300	5.40	1,500	27.00	32.40
Lynah, Mary D., Adm.....			1,600	28.80	28.80
MacRae, Isaac N.....	700	12.60	3,600	64.80	77.40
Mann, David W.....	350	6.30	3,500	63.00	69.30
Martin, Ellen			2,500	45.00	45.00
Marcy, Florence E. G.....	1,150	20.70	16,000	288.00	308.70
McAskill, Dan	150	2.70			2.70
McHugh Bros.	1,300	23.40	5,000	90.00	113.40
McLean, Hector J.....	300	5.40	2,500	45.00	50.40
Morrisy, Annie	1,630	29.34	4,500	81.00	110.34
Moynihan, Timothy.....			3,000	54.00	54.00
Naff, Fred	400	7.20			7.20
Nelson Bros.	2,600	46.80	8,000	144.00	190.80
Neville Bros.	1,607	28.93			28.93
Neville, Martin			4,000	72.00	72.00
Neville, William J.....	310	5.58			5.58
O'Leary, John (Morris McWalter Adm.)	175	3.15	5,000	90.00	93.15
O'Brien, Frank M.....			400	7.20	7.20
O'Brien, James	525	9.45	1,500	27.00	36.45
Osgood, Emily L.....	886	15.95	37,000	666.00	681.95
Page, Frank L.....	100	1.80			1.80

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Page, G. William.....	750	13.50			13.50
Page, Henry R.....	800	14.40			14.40
Page, Henry R., et al.....			10,000	180.00	180.00
Pearson, Burt W.....	375	6.75	3,500	63.00	69.75
Peck, Chester G.....	1,775	31.95	20,000	360.00	391.95
Peirce, William C.....	2,250	40.50	3,500	63.00	103.50
Peirce, William C., et al.....			10,000	180.00	180.00
Peterson, Andrew P.....			2,000	36.00	36.00
Pierce, Elsie	2,150	38.70	25,500	459.00	497.70
Pierce, Samuel H., Heirs of.....			10,000	180.00	180.00
Pollard, Ann D.....	8,300	149.40	36,500	657.00	806.40
Pollard, Frederick H.....			7,000	126.00	126.00
Pope, J. William.....	800	14.40	10,000	180.00	194.40
Rice, Edwin B.....	950	17.10	2,500	45.00	62.10
Richardson, Harriet C.....			2,000	36.00	36.00
Riley, Ellen.....			6,000	108.00	108.00
Roche, Bridget			6,000	108.00	108.00
Robus, Tamzin K.....			2,000	36.00	36.00
Rooney, John W.....			2,500	45.00	45.00
Rooney, John W., Jr.....			1,500	27.00	27.00
Rollins, Bros.....	2,150	38.70			38.70

Ryan, Daniel	300	5.40			5.40
Ryan, Edward J.	300	5.40			5.40
Ryan, Mary			2,000	36.00	36.00
Ryan, Stacia			2,000	36.00	36.00
Sargent, Charles O.	1,160	20.88	5,500	99.00	119.88
Scripture, Bertha	85	1.53			1.53
Scripture, Mary J.	60	1.08			1.08
Seeckts, Albert	250	4.50	3,000	54.00	58.50
Shepard, Richard A.			3,000	54.00	54.00
Sherman, Chester H.	300	5.40			5.40
Sherman, Daniel E.	1,260	22.68	7,500	135.00	157.68
Sherman, J. D., Heirs of			2,100	37.80	37.80
Sherman, Martin	250	4.50	1,500	27.00	31.50
Sherman, Roger	325	5.85	6,000	108.00	113.85
Sherman, Susan R.			5,000	90.00	90.00
Sherman, William H.	500	9.00	4,000	72.00	81.00
Silva, Manuel	900	16.20	2,500	45.00	61.20
Sims, John W.			1,150	20.70	20.70
Smith, Charles S.	5,425	97.65	59,450	1,070.10	1,167.75
Smith, Lillian P.	500	9.00	3,000	54.00	63.00
Snelling, Caroline	1,000	18.00	3,000	54.00	72.00
Snelling, Marion L.	500	9.00	9,000	162.00	171.00
South Lincoln Dairy Co.			4,000	72.00	72.00
Spalding, Nellie H.	500	9.00	6,000	108.00	117.00
Stackpole, Katharine C.	521	9.38			9.38
Storey, Moorfield	1,950	35.10	24,000	432.00	467.10
Tarbell, George G.	1,635	29.43			29.43
Tarbell, George G., Trustees			20,000	360.00	360.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Tasker, John	275	4.95	3,000	54.00	58.95
Todd, C. Lee.....	1,000	18.00	25,000	450.00	468.00
Tyler, Fred	400	7.20	2,200	39.60	46.80
Tyler, Watson			2,200	39.60	39.60
Warner, Henrietta	512	9.22			9.22
Warner, Henry E.....	3,000	54.00	12,000	216.00	270.00
Watson, Samuel J.....			1,500	27.00	27.00
Watson, William E.....			1,500	27.00	27.00
Washburn, Mary J.....			2,000	36.00	36.00
Welch, Helen F.....			500	9.00	9.00
Welch, Martin M.....			2,500	45.00	45.00
Weston, Ann E.....			3,000	54.00	54.00
Weston, Georgianna H.....			5,000	90.00	94.50
Wheeler, Abner S., Heirs of.....	250	4.50	3,500	63.00	63.00
Wheeler, Charles S.....			12,000	216.00	216.00
Wheeler, Charlotte	1,500	27.00			27.00
Wheeler, Charlotte, et al.....			4,500	81.00	81.00
Wheeler, Elizabeth.....	400	7.20			7.20
Wheeler, C. Edgar.....	675	12.15	3,000	54.00	66.15
Wheeler, George R.....	825	14.85	5,000	90.00	104.85
Wheeler, Herman T.....	350	6.30	4,000	72.00	78.30
White, Frank.....	250	4.50			4.50
Wilkins, Ann M.....	100	1.80	5,500	99.00	100.80
Wilson, John	1,200	21.60	3,500	63.00	84.60
Woodhull, Charles E.....	600	10.80			10.80

NON-RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Ames, J. B., Heirs of, Cambridge.....			500	9.00	9.00
Blodgett, Edwin S.....			2,000	36.00	36.00
Brooks, Katherine T., Charlestown....			240	4.32	4.32
Brooks, Mary A., Concord.....			650	11.70	11.70
Broughall, Mrs. Stephen Lexington....			20	.36	.36
Brown, Elvira, Est., Lexington.....			250	4.50	4.50
Brown, Harry Wayland.....			100	1.80	1.80
Brown, William, Heirs of, Winchendon.			1,040	18.72	18.72
Burgess, H. A., Lexington.....	9,000	162.00			162.00
Carroll, Henrietta S., Malden.....			50	.90	.90
Carty, J. R., Heirs of, Concord.....			150	2.70	2.70
Cheeny, Arthur, Heirs of, Weston.....			150	2.70	2.70
Conti, Pasqual Bova, Waltham.....			6,200	111.60	111.60
Cousins, Fred E., Littleton.....			7,200	129.60	129.60
Curly, Annie, Boston.....			500	9.00	9.00
Cutler, James R., Somerville.....			200	3.60	3.60
Curry, John, Somerville.....			200	3.60	3.60
DeNormandie, Alice W., Boston.....	1,240	22.32	17,500	315.00	337.32
DeNormandie, James, Boston.....			6,500	117.00	117.00
Donovan, Michael, Concord.....			300	5.40	5.40
Doyle, Mary, Heirs of, Weston.....	125	2.25	700	12.60	14.85

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Edison Electric Illuminating Co., Boston	20,000	360.00			360.00
Emerson, E. W., Concord.....			300	5.40	5.40
Emerson, R. W., Heirs of, Concord.....			350	6.30	6.30
Everett, Edward, Trustee.....			4,500	81.00	81.00
Fallon, Matthew W., Jr., Boston.....			6,100	109.80	109.80
Fitchburg R. R. Co.....			900	16.20	16.20
Fleming, John F., Somerville.....			700	12.60	12.60
Gile, Flora J., Concord.....			150	2.70	2.70
Gourgas, Francis R., Heirs of, Concord			50	.90	.90
Green, Grace, Wisconsin.....			100	1.80	1.80
Grimwood, Henry A., Weston.....	4,000	72.00			72.00
Griffin, John, Boston.....			100	1.80	1.80
Harrington, T. F., Waltham.....			3,000	54.00	54.00
Hay, Robert T., Melrose.....			5,500	99.00	99.00
Hayden, Nellie B., Lexington.....			200	3.60	3.60
Heald, Mary E.....			3,000	54.00	54.00
Heywood, George, Heirs of, Concord...			500	9.00	9.00
Higginson, Henry L., Est., Boston.....	20,000	360.00	70,000	1,260.00	1,620.00
Huddleston, Lucy B., Heirs of, Malden..			300	5.40	5.40
Hunt, Lewis E., Somerville.....			1,000	18.00	18.00
Jenks, Albert R., W. Acton.....			1,500	27.00	27.00

Kenna, James B., Framingham.....	1,200	21.60	21.60
Kaizer, Horace, Concord.....	2,500	45.00	45.00
Locke, Isaac, Heirs of, Boston.....	200	3.60	3.60
Lovett, Robert W., Boston.....	6,000	108.00	108.00
Lima, Anthony J., Lexington.....	1,000	18.00	18.00
Lynski, Thomas, Waltham.....	2,500	45.00	45.00
Marr, John W., Waltham.....	500	9.00	9.00
McGrath, Patrick, Concord.....	1,050	18.90	18.90
Malloy, John, Heirs of, Waltham.....	600	10.80	10.80
Moore, Sarah B., Concord.....	300	5.40	5.40
Mullen, T. F., Ayer.....	200	3.60	3.60
Munroe, Jonas, Heirs of, Lexington.....	1,000	18.00	18.00
Neville, Henry P., Bedford.....	850	15.30	15.30
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.....	3,600	64.80	236.90
Norton, T. M., Heirs of, Bedford.....	15	.27	.27
Paul, William D. W.....	1,500	27.00	27.00
Richardson, T. C., Weston.....	150	2.70	2.70
Rodman, Emma, Nahant.....	5,000	90.00	90.00
Rogers, Edward H., Cambridge.....	12,000	216.00	258.75
Root, George F., Chicago.....	600	10.80	10.80
Scully, James J., Cambridge.....	5,000	90.00	90.00
Shaw, Nellie S., Woburn.....	100	1.80	1.80
Sherman, Herbert A., Weston.....	100	1.80	1.80
Smith, Eugene H., Waltham.....	100	1.80	1.80
Smith, Eliza A., Portsmouth, N. H.....	200	3.60	3.60
Snelling, Howard, Va.....	15,000	270.00	270.00
Stewart, Frank, Waltham.....	100	1.80	1.80
Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.....	657	11.83	11.83
	9,561	172.10	
	2,375	42.75	

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Storrow, Helen O., Boston.....			4,000	72.00	72.00
Storrow, James J., Boston.....	4,000	72.00	141,000	2,520.00	2,610.00
Stow, Nathan B., Heirs of, Concord.....			200	3.60	3.60
Thorndike, Sturgis H., Boston.....			2,000	36.00	36.00
Walker, A. Bruce, Milwaukee, Wis.....			250	4.50	4.50
Western Union Tel. Co.....	2,087	37.57			37.57
Weston, Town of.....			1,000	18.00	18.00
Wheeler, Frank, Est., Concord.....			2,500	45.00	45.00
Wheeler, Henry A., Weston.....			100	1.80	1.80
Wheeler, H. N., Heirs of, Cambridge...			400	7.20	7.20
Wheelwright, Mary C., and Cabot, Henry B., Exrs., }	6,470	116.46	15,000	270.00	386.46
White, Robert, Lexington.....			1,000	18.00	18.00
Wilcox, Charlotte W.....			6,000	108.00	108.00
Woodhull, John H.....			6,500	117.00	117.00
Worcester, Alice, Waltham.....			1,000	18.00	18.00

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT

Outstanding Bonds January 1st, 1922

Issue of 1900 due 1930 Coupon 3½s, J & D	\$10,000.00
Issue of 1900 due 1930 Reg'd. 3½s, J. & D. (n/o Commonwealth of Mass.)	13,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Coupon 3½s, M & S.....	6,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Reg'd. 3½s, M & S. (n/o Commonwealth of Mass.)	3,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon 3½s, M & N.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1904 due 1934 Coupon 4s, M & S.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1906 due 1936 Coupon 4s, M & S.....	14,000.00
Issue of 1907 due 1937 Coupon 4s, M & S.....	4,000.00
Issue of 1907 Serial Coupon 4s, M & S (\$500 due each year)	3,000.00
Issue of 1911 Serial Coupon 4s, M & S (\$500 due each year)	1,000.00

\$64,000.00

REPORT OF BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

The Water Commissioners herewith respectfully submit the following report:

On March 11, 1921, the Board met and organized with the choice of Sumner Smith, Chairman, and Robert R. Hunter, Secretary.

During the year twelve regular and two special meetings have been held at which all members were present.

The blue print books of gates, services, etc., have been brought up to date by the addition of over sixty heretofore uncharted fixtures.

Leaks have been few the past year, renewals inexpensive, and no new construction has been undertaken. The Water Dpartment has been able to pay off from collections most of its indebtedness. At the present writing the debt is about \$1,000 for current expenses, which could be reduced to \$400 if the \$600 remaining taxes were collected.

The two pumps have worked satisfactorily during the year, the chief engine house trouble being with the belts. These could not be relied upon to stay on the pulleys, but were adjusted satisfactorily and now run smoothly and safely.

The Pumping Station and Pumps are in first class condition, but the former coal pocket needs some metal covering over the exposed wooden parts of its frame. The reservoir bank needs some stone facing on the southerly bank to prevent wash. The pipe system seems in good condition, but the cement lined pipe on the station road ought to be renewed within a few years. After this pipe is relaid expenses should not be large for many

years. It would seem also that the station road ought to be rebuilt and, while the Board realizes that the latter question is not primarily of its concern, still it is indirectly. Pipe renewal and road construction should be simultaneous when possible.

The Board is aware that it pays high for electric power and has under consideration plans for pumping cheaper in the future. The Edison Company gives good service, as was evidenced when the pump was idle only four days on account of the ice storm.

The Water Department has lost by death this winter the services of Mr. James T. Laird, who had been engineer for over thirty years and superintendent for over twenty years. The Board does not intend to appoint a successor immediately. Mr. Kelliher is now acting engineer and Superintendent, and if this arrangement proves satisfactory it will be continued.

SUMNER SMITH,
JOHN J. KELLIHER,
ROBERT R. HUNTER,
Water Commissioners of Lincoln.

Summary of Statistics for Year Ending December 31, 1921

PUMPING STATISTICS

Rumsey Triplex Pump 25 H.P. motor.

Rumsey Triplex Pump 40 H.P. motor.

Power furnished by Edison Company of Boston.

Total water pumped for year 81,304,000 gallons.

Cost of pumping, figured on Pumping Station's expenses (including salaries and power), \$47.20 per million gallons.

Cost of pumping, figured on Pumping Station expenses, power, salaries, interest, repairs and renewals and depreciation, \$309.64 per million gallons pumped.

Statistics Relating to Distribution System

Mains

1. Kind of pipe used, cement lined, cast iron, wood stave, galvanized iron.
2. Sizes, 1½" to 12".
3. Extended during the year, none.
4. Discontinued during the year, none.
5. Total now in use, 26,571 miles. Hydrants replaced, 2.
6. Number of hydrants added during the year, 1.
7. Number of hydrants (public and private) now in use, 126.
8. Number of stop-gates added during the year, 1.
9. Number of stop-gates now in use, 136.
10. Number of blow-offs, 30.
11. Range of pressure on mains, 40 pounds to 102 pounds.

Services

12. Kind of pipe, galvanized iron and cement lined.
13. Sizes, ¾" to 4".
14. Discontinued, 1.
15. Number of service taps added during the year, 6.
16. Number now in use, 345.
17. Average length of service, 12' +.
18. Meters now in use, 11

Water Report

PROFIT AND LOSS

Year Ending December 31, 1921.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>
To Expense	\$ 215.39	
Power	1,934.45	\$14,539.37
Salaries	1,887.68	1,331.82
Interest	2,552.57	105.64
Repairs and renewals	8,808.13	
Net gain	578.61	
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	\$15,976.83	\$15,976.83
ASSETS		LIABILITIES
Construction	\$187,410.22	Bonds outstanding
Sinking Fund	27,500.00	Town of Lincoln Loan 1912
Coal on hand	200.00	Town of Lincoln Loan 1921, from
Wire	100.00	Water Works Sinking Fund a/c
Water bills uncollected (old bills)	600.00	Surplus
Cash on hand	472.64	
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	\$216,282.86	\$216,282.86

REPORT OF FIRE ENGINEERS

To the Board of Selectmen:—

The Board of Fire Engineers herewith submit their fourteenth annual report, ending December 31, 1921.

Force

Thirty-one men belong to the Department: one chief, six engineers, and twenty-three call men. There are three organized companies.

Apparatus

The apparatus belonging to the Department is as follows: Two wagons, one reel, one combination truck, twenty-five extinguishers, three ladders, hose, axes, and plaster hooks.

Location of Apparatus

No. 2—Combination truck at Doherty's Garage, So. Lincoln.

No. 3—Hose House, John Dee Farm, Virginia Road, North Lincoln.

Fires

During the past year the truck has been called out as follows: 8 chimney, 5 grass, 9 wood, 2 auto, 3 houses, 3 barns at a loss of \$13,000, and 1 call to Wayland.

The fire engineers are of the opinion that it would be advisable and to the advantage of the town to purchase a new truck with a pump attached and re-equip the present truck for forest fires.

ISAAC N. MACRAE, *Chief*,
 THOMAS DEE,
 HERBERT FARRAR,
 H. S. COUSINS,
 J. J. KELIHER,
 ANDREW DOUGHERTY,
 MATTHEW H. DOHERTY.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1921:

The condition of the roads during the first part of the year was very good. During January and February there was very little snow. Early in March the frost came out, leaving the cross roads badly rutted, so that it was necessary to scrape them and use a large quantity of stone to fill them in, to make them smooth for the summer.

The tar surfaced roads have been patched and coated with Tarvia B and sand.

Most of the other roads have been oiled in order to keep down the dust and hold them together.

The only new work done this year has been on the Lake Walden Road. Nearly five months were spent with the men and teams working on this State, County, and Town road near Lake Walden, building 3,400 feet of penetration road 18 feet wide, which cost about \$17,000. The expenditures on this road were approximately as follows:

Teams and labor	\$ 6,500.00
Gravel and stone	7,750.00
Oil and tar	2,400.00
Coal	150.00
Culverts	200.00
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	\$17,000.00

I have done work for the other departments of the town and kept the ashes cleaned away from the public buildings.

The following is a partial list of what the men and teams have been doing throughout this year:

JANUARY

The men worked most of the time at the pumping station, helping to put in the new foundation and install the new pump.

FEBRUARY

There was a little snow work which had to be done during this month, and the spare time was used in cutting chestnut posts.

MARCH

This month was spent in scraping the roads and filling in the ruts with crushed stone.

APRIL

Scraping the roads and filling in the ruts was completed. We then hauled sand for covering oil and tarvia, and patched the tar surfaced roads with patching material.

MAY AND JUNE

Tarvia and Oil were put on the roads and sand hauled for covering same. Also did some work for the Moth Department.

JULY

The first part of the month we patched the roads and scraped the hills which had been washed out by the heavy showers. The last part of the month we worked on the Lake Walden Road.

AUGUST, SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER, AND MOST OF
NOVEMBER

During these months our time was spent in digging out the banks along the Lake Walden Road and building the road.

DECEMBER

Most of the time has been spent cutting brush on the roads and in the cemeteries.

The money expended this year is approximately as follows:

Hay, Grain, and Straw	\$ 1,200.00
Stone, Gravel, and Sand	2,000.00
Tarvia and Oil	5,425.00
Supplies	500.00
Shoeing and Repairs	750.00
Rent	340.00
Superintendent's Salary, Labor, Etc.	5,000.00
Total	<hr/> \$15,215.00
Amount of credits due the Highway Department	2,215.00
Total spent for maintenance and upkeep of Highway Department for year	<hr/> \$13,000.00

The condition of the Highway Department is about the same as last year.

The guide boards are in good condition and in their proper places.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,
Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1921.

The following cases of contagious diseases have been reported during the year :

- 7 cases of Pneumonia.
- 11 cases of Chicken Pox.
- 4 cases of Mumps.
- 5 cases of Measles.
- 2 cases of Tuberculosis.
- 1 case of Trachoma.

MARTIN M. WELCH,
R. D. DONALDSON,
GEO. G. TARBELL,
Members Board of Health.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

January 12, 1922.

To the Board of Selectmen:—

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1921:—

Number of herds of cows	76
Number of milch cows	500
Number of young stock	175
Number of bulls	22
Number of pigs	478
Number of sheep	20
Number of goats	15
Number of cows quarantined	6
Number of cows affected with tuberculosis	6
Number of dogs affected with hydrophobia	1
Number of dogs quarantined and released	3

Respectfully submitted,

MARTIN M. WELCH,
Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED.

To the Board of Health:—

I herewith submit the following report of animals slaughtered and inspected for the year ending December 31, 1921:

Pigs	117
Calves	18
Cattle	5
Condemned	0

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Inspector of Slaughtering.

LINCOLN TOWN NURSE

To the Selectmen of Lincoln,

Gentlemen:—

I herewith submit the following report of the Committee appointed by you to direct the work of the Lincoln Town Nurse.

The Committee desires first of all to express its thanks for the generous aid received from various sources, to Mrs. James J. Storrow for the office in the Scout House, to the Girl Scouts for the office telephone, to Mr. Donaldson for a spare automobile tire, and to the Lincoln Branch of the American Red Cross for supplies, equipment and the Ford car. The automobile has proved of inestimable value to the nurse. The telephone operators have been most zealous in handling calls for the nurse, and are also giving a dance, the proceeds of which will help pay the cost of the car.

Miss Carolyn M. Viets was engaged as Public Health Nurse for Lincoln for six months at a salary of \$750. Of this sum \$600 was appropriated at the last annual Town Meeting. The balance of \$150 is paid by the School Committee for the services of the nurse in the schools. The expense to the Town for incidentals during the four months for which figures are available has amounted to \$35.03. The total of the fees collected for bedside nursing during the same period is \$45.30.

The work which Miss Viets does in the schools is briefly described in the Superintendent's report. She has visited the schools during a part of every session, and in addition has made 47 follow-up visits to the homes of the children. She has given 29 treatments at the office, and has made 123 home visits for bedside care and instruction.

Arrangements have been made to allow Miss Viets to act as School Nurse for the Town of Sudbury. She will work in the Sudbury schools for one day each week and the Town of Lincoln will receive \$10 per day for her services. If this plan continues through a school year approximately \$350 will be earned by the nurse, which sum can be applied on her salary. It is very probable that additional work of this sort may be obtained, thus making possible a further reduction in the expense of the nursing project to the Town.

In closing, the Committee wishes to express its sincere thanks to Miss Viets for her hearty co-operation, and for her active and ardent interest in the performance of her duties.

Respectfully submitted,

SUSAN M. LORING,
*Chairman of the Committee
on the District Nurse.*

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees on the following pages submit the report of the Treasurer and Librarian for the year ending December 31, 1921.

The Trustees ask for an appropriation of \$800.00 and the Dog Tax.

C. LEE TODD,
Chairman of the Trustees.

Dr.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF LINCOLN LIBRARY FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1921.

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RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1921.....	\$251.28
From Interest on Deposit89
Liberty Bonds	8.50
Codman Fund	43.75
Fines and Sale of Books.....	40.68
Dog Tax Return.....	237.91
Town Appropriation	700.00
Trust Funds:—	
George G. Tarbell Legacy.....	\$130.18
George Russell Legacy .....	.99
Julia A. Bemis Legacy.....	59.02
Abbie J. Stearns Legacy.....	121.96
John H. Pierce Legacy.....	54.27
	<u>366.42</u>

.. \$1,649.43

EXPENDITURES

For Water Rate	\$	10.00
“ Telephone		26.00
“ Light		85.30
“ Clerical Work		10.00
“ Delivery of Books to South Lincoln.....		14.25
“ Sundries		19.41
Repairs:—		
Lawn Mower	\$4.50	
Rescating Chairs	19.32	
Roof	41.38	
“ Binding Books		65.20
“ Magazines		55.00
“ Books		86.75
“ Fuel		308.56
“ Librarians, Salaries and Income of Pierce Fund...		408.61
		554.27
Total of Expense		<u>1,643.35</u>

Balance on hand..... 6.08

\$1,649.43

The Codman Fund is invested in five shares of Boston and Albany stock. The Library Trustees also hold \$200 in Liberty 4½'s.

JOHN F. FARRAR, *Treasurer.*

STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 1, 1921

Number of volumes in Library Jan. 1, 1921	11,097
Number of volumes withdrawn	26
Increase by purchase	157
Increase by gift	63
Number of volumes in Library Jan. 1, 1922	11,291
Total delivery of books for year	9,003
Largest delivery in one day	134
Smallest delivery in one day	20
Number of books delivered, fiction	3,745
Number of books delivered, non-fiction	2,545
Number of books delivered, juvenile	2,713
Number of days Library was open	104

Gifts of books, periodicals, pamphlets, etc., have been received from

Miss M. Bachelder	Miss E. Peirce
Miss A. Bartlett	Miss J. I. Peirce
Mrs. W. H. Blodgett	Miss B. Scripture
Miss A. Campbell	Hon. C. S. Smith
Mrs. Codman	Mr. J. W. Smith
Mrs. C. Hatheway	Mrs. C. H. Trask
Mr. A. Little	Mrs. C. Wilcox
Mr. A. Parker	Miss G. Weston

A very valuable gift has been The World's Great Classics in 60 volumes with index. Illustrated with numerous photo-gravures, etchings, colored plates, and page portraits of great authors.

Mrs. C. H. Trask has presented the unique and interesting gift of a Russian Icon. A sacred emblem in the Greek Church honored with worship of offerings of incense, lights, etc., enshrined both in the church and homes of the Russian people.

A collection of books (largely fiction) has been received from a private Library. After they have been examined the desirable ones will be put in circulation.

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Accessions to the Library for 1921

FICTION

Atherton, Gertrude. Sisters-in-law.....	728.35
Bachelor, Irving. The prodigal village.....	931.28
Bailey, Temple. Trumpeter swan.....	928.23
Beith, Ian Hay. Willing horse.....	1021.28
Bojer, Johan. The great hunger. Translated from Norwegian	764.23
Bradley, Mary Hastings. Innocent adventuress.....	728.34
Brown, Edna A. The Spanish chest.....	753.28
Caine, Hall. Master of man.....	756.29
Canfield, Dorothy. The brimming cup.....	755.26
Dillon, Mary. In old Bellaire.....	712.32
Dillon, Mary. Miss Livingstone's companion.....	712.31
Dixon, Thomas. Man in gray. Romance of North and South	1021.30
Dodd, Lee Wilson. Book of Susan.....	756.27
Dowdall, Mrs. Three loving ladies.....	764.25
Farnol, Jeffrey. Martin Comsby's vengeance.....	1025.36
Gale, Zona. Miss Lulu Bett.....	923.12
Galsworthy, John. To let.....	1012.27
Gibbs, George. The vagrant Duke.....	728.32
Grey, Zane. Betty Zane.....	1028.20
———. Desert gold. Romance of the border.....	1025.35
———. Heritage of the desert.....	1021.31
———. The last trail. Story of early days in Ohio valley	1018.30
———. Mysterious rider.....	928.24
Haggard, H. Rider. Smith and the Pharaohs, other tales	1031.26
Hutchinson, A. S. M. If winter comes.....	712.36
Irwin, Wallace. Seed of the sun.....	912.29
Johnson, Owen. The wasted generation.....	1028.25
Johnston, Sir Harry. Man who did the right thing.....	931.27
King, Basil. Empty sack.....	1025.37
Lewis, Sinclair. Main street. Story of Carol Kennicott	728.29

Lincoln, Joseph C. Kent Knowles. Quahang.....	921.29
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Locke, William J. The mountebank.....	912.30
Macaulay, Rose. Potterism.....	928.25
McKenna, Stephen. The sixth sense.....	715.30
Marshal, Edison. Snowshoe trail.....	1028.23
Marshall, Archibald. The Graftons.....	728.31
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Martin, George Madden. March on.....	1021.29
Montgomery, L. M. Rilla of Ingleside.....	712.35
Norris, Kathleen. The beloved woman.....	712.27
Oemler, Marie Conway. Purple heights.....	754.26
Oppenheim, E. Phillips. Jacob's ladder.....	923.10
Passos, John Dos. Three soldiers.....	934.26
Pedler, Margaret. The splendid folly.....	728.30
Perry, Stella G. S. Palmetto; Romance of a Louisiana girl	923.11
Poole, Ernest. Beggars gold.....	1025.38
Porter, Eleanor H. Across the years.....	1028.19
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———. Turn of the tide.....	717.32
Porter, Gene Stratton. Her father's daughter.....	764.24
Rice, Alice Hegan. Quin.....	712.34
Richards, Laura E. In blessed Cyrus.....	1028.24
Richmond, Grace S. The Brown study.....	1028.21
———. Strawberry Acres.....	717.31
———. Round the corner in Gay Street.....	1018.29
Rinehart, Mary Roberts. Lights unseen: And the confession	753.27
Sabatini, Rafael. Scarmouche. Romance of French Revolution	756.26
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Spearman, Frank H. Laramie holds the range.....	934.25
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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF LINCOLN
FOR THE
SCHOOL YEAR 1921



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, <i>Chairman</i> ,	Term expires 1922
GEORGE G. TARBELL, <i>Secretary</i> ,	Term expires 1923
EDITH B. FARRAR (MRS.)	Term expires 1924

Superintendent of Schools

CHARLES H. MORSS

Teachers

Junior High Grades VII-VIII-IX

ELIZABETH S. CAVERNO

MARION D. PARKER

Grammar Grades V-VI

MARY D. CHACE

MYRTLE C. ELLIOTT

Grammar Grade IV

OLIVE G. RICH

Primary Grade III

JENNIE M. WHEATON

Primary Grade II

VERA B. ALLEN

Primary Grade I

ELLA WESTON

Manual Training and Drawing

ERNEST T. THOMPSON

School Physician

DR. HENRY E. WOOD

School Nurse

CAROLYN VIETS

Attendance Officer

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Janitor

EDWARD GRAF

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Winter Term, first half, begins Tuesday, January 3, 1922, ends Friday, February 17, 1922; seven weeks.

Winter Term, second half, begins Monday, February 27, 1922, ends Friday, April 14, 1922; seven weeks.

Spring Term begins Monday, April 24, 1922, ends Friday, June 16, 1922; eight weeks.

Fall Term begins Tuesday, September 5, 1922, ends Friday, December 22, 1922.

Winter Term begins Tuesday, January 2, 1923.

Length of school year 1922-1923, thirty-eight weeks.

THE REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The School Committee herewith submits its report for the year of 1921.

The Board organized at its first meeting with the choice of Anthony J. Doherty as chairman, and George G. Tarbell as secretary. Regular meetings are held on the second Monday of each month in the evening. Special meetings may be called at any time when necessary business requires.

During the year, several changes were made in the teaching staff. Some of the teachers resigned to accept more lucrative positions and others to accept positions nearer to or in their home city or town.

Among the resignations submitted, your committee very much regrets to report that of Miss Hattie B. Heath, teacher of the primary grade, to accept a position offered to teach a private class in a school now conducted in the town. Miss Heath has given a long and faithful service to the Lincoln Schools, has been a conscientious and efficient teacher and always ready and willing to co-operate and assist in every way possible in the carrying on of the school work. The committee takes this opportunity to congratulate Miss Heath for this long and faithful service and to assure her of its best wishes for a continuation of that service in her new field of work.

A reading of the Superintendent's report will show that there is a crying need for additional rooms in the Centre

School. This has been apparent to your committee for several years, but no special effort to relieve this condition, or no special recommendation was made for reasons that were also very apparent. The time has now arrived, however, when this matter of more room must be met squarely by the town, and your committee would ask that recognition of this fact be taken now, and such steps as may be necessary to carry out this recommendation, the appointment of a committee to look into the matter of providing additional school rooms should be considered, either by enlarging the present building or erecting a new building. This matter should be brought before the Town at the annual March meeting of 1922.

In any event, it seems now necessary that the South School be opened at the beginning of the fall term next September, and your committee would ask that this building be made ready for occupancy at that time. When opened, both rooms will be occupied, and this will necessitate extensive repairs in the heating arrangement, equipping in full one of the rooms, and more or less general repairs in and about the building, and some attention given to the grounds.

The marks received by those pupils in the Concord High School who prepared in our ninth grade have been satisfactory, in fact the average has been higher than the marks of pupils who took their first year at Concord. This is a strong argument for maintaining the ninth grade at Lincoln.

Your committee wishes to call attention to the change in vacation periods for the ensuing year. This change has been made to avoid the long winter term, near the end of which the work, attention, and diligence of the pupils is below standard.

School Finances

In following out the policy of paying salaries that would attract good teachers and help to retain them in Lincoln, your committee has established a definite schedule of yearly advancement for the teachers, whereby grade teachers who remain with us receive an increase of one hundred dollars yearly, and high school teachers an increase of one hundred and fifty dollars yearly, these increases to be effective until maximums of fifteen hundred dollars and sixteen hundred and fifty dollars, respectively, are reached. This policy has been adopted with a view to enhancing in every way possible the probability of our teachers remaining with us. It is hoped that when the number of teachers graduating from normal schools become large enough to care for the demand for new teachers, that the effect of such an equalization of supply and demand will be reflected in fewer changes in our teaching force.

With the amount received from the Commonwealth and from other sources, your committee has been able to keep practically within the appropriation granted by the town for this year. It will be noted that the greatest increase in the expenditures were for salaries and High School tuition, both of which items have increased materially.

For the year 1922, to carry on the school work, will require an appropriation of \$26,000, which sum is recommended by your committee.

Below will be found a grouped statement of expenditures for the present year, together with other sums, received from outside sources and credited to the school account.

Also attached hereto is the report of the Superintendent for the ensuing year. In this report are mentioned certain

important matters, some having been referred to by your committee. One mentioned particularly, is that of the employment of a school nurse, which position is required to be filled, according to a recent law passed by the Legislature.

Respectfully submitted.

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY,
GEORGE G. TARBELL,
EDITH B. FARRAR

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES FOR YEAR 1921

Salaries—Supt., Teachers and Janitor	\$11,916.25
School Supplies	969.82
High School Tuition	3,774.37
High School Transportation	835.03
Miscellaneous	191.21
Local Transportation	4,379.15
Fuel	702.35
Physician	204.40
Incidental Repairs on Building	78.34
New Equipment	130.20
Barge Repairs	36.00
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	\$23,217.12

RECEIPTS ON ACCOUNT OF SCHOOLS

Com. of Mass. School Fund	\$ 21.77
Com. of Mass. Vocational and Industrial Schools	231.52
Com. of Mass. Tuition of Children	454.74
Com. of Mass. General School Fund	1,232.00
Com. of Mass. High School Transportation	592.10
Com. of Mass. Grammar School Fund	90.70
City of Boston Tuition of Children	544.38
Harold S. Cousins Tuition of Pupil	24.00
C. H. Morss Books Sold	6.10
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	\$3,197.31

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Committee, Town of Lincoln:—

The past year has been no exception to the custom that seems to prevail in Lincoln of short tenure for teachers. Two of our regular force are beginning their second year of service and one her fourth; all the others are teaching in our schools for the first time. Few people not directly connected with school work realize the handicap to the children of this frequent change of teachers. During the three years the present Superintendent has been in charge, there have been twenty-four teachers employed in our nine regular positions, a sufficient number to cause serious breaks in the continuity of the work done by the pupils. No teacher, however faithful, zealous and well trained can, in her first year in a new school system, do as much or as efficient work as she will do in her second and subsequent years. If we are to get the best results in our schools we must find some means for making the teacher's position more attractive. Raising salaries to the level of other communities has not done it, and there is a reasonable doubt if putting them one or two hundred dollars beyond the average will do it. Teachers have often said to me that the necessity of living so far from the school, and oft times in isolation, has been their reason for seeking other positions where living conditions were more agreeable, and social life more possible. These are difficulties not easily overcome, but they are not impossible of solution. In view of these present difficulties, we have found it necessary to limit our choice of teachers in most cases to such as could live at their own homes, and come by public conveyance to the school. This is not satisfactory from the school's point of view, for it is better for all concerned that parents and teachers should have that acquaintance and intimacy that can only come from living

in the same community and having social interests in common. As parents seldom visit the schools their knowledge of the sort of person to whom they intrust their children's education is limited to "hearsay" which is always untrustworthy and never to be relied on. If parents would make an effort to get acquainted with the teachers of their children, visit them in their school and receive them in their homes, the co-operation between home and school would be established and a better understanding result.

The need for more rooms for the coming year has become imperative. The seventh and eighth grades occupy one room and the fifth and sixth another; but, with the new classes formed next September, these rooms will no longer accommodate two grades. The small room used by the ninth, or high school class, is not large enough to receive any one of the other grades, so nothing would be gained by giving up this grade. All the grades below the fifth have rooms to themselves, and the time has come when the others require the same accommodation. These lower grades have a decided advantage over the higher in that the class can be divided for recitation purposes into two divisions according to individual ability, thus preventing the slower minds from being hurried over the work too rapidly, and the quicker and more alert from being stultified by waiting for these slow ones to catch up. Where two grades are in one room such division is not advisable, as it multiplies classes to an impossible number.

The only solution of the difficulty seems to be to transfer the two lowest primary grades to the South School till such time as it seems best to the Town to build an addition to the present building. This transfer will also simplify the transportation problem by relieving the South Lincoln and Depot conveyances. Seventeen children from that section, as the classes stand today, would not require transportation.

The Legislature of 1921 passed a law making compulsory

the employment of a school nurse in all towns having a valuation of one million dollars or more, as follows:—

“Chapter 357, Acts of 1921. Section 1. The school committee shall appoint one or more school physicians and nurses, shall assign them to the public schools within its jurisdiction, shall provide them with all proper facilities for the performance of their duties and shall assign one or more physicians to the examination of children who apply for health certificates . . .”

In compliance with this law the nurse employed by the town under the vote of last March was assigned to duty in the schools in September. While there has been no outbreak of serious epidemic disease, there has been much good work accomplished by the nurse in the short time we have had her services. Her watchfulness has undoubtedly prevented the spread of many of the minor ills that we always find among children, and her talks on health and her advice have been invaluable in arousing an enthusiasm for habits of personal cleanliness and care for health. The follow-up work in the home, in cases where we have to exclude children from school, results in their quicker return to their studies and prevents much loss of time. The monthly weighing and measuring also keeps before the child the need for proper eating and sleeping, both of which subjects are not given sufficient thought by the majority of parents. The following extract from the report of the School Nurse will be of interest:

“Beginning with the opening of school in September my work of school nurse has consisted of daily visits to the class rooms for the purpose of ascertaining the presence or absence of symptoms of contagious disease. During the period of brilliant autumnal foliage many cases of poisoning by Poisy Ivy or Poison Sumac occurred among the younger children, and were treated by me in the school office upon instruction from the school physician. Many

small injuries were dressed and cared for and instruction given in the care of sores, a number of which, of a contagious nature, were discovered. A few children were kept at home and not allowed to return to school till the sores had been properly treated by the family physician, and the danger from contagion had passed. A few cases of tonsilitis were discovered, and the children kept at home till recovery was complete."

CAROLYN VIETS,
School Nurse.

During the months of cold weather up to the April vacation hot cocoa was furnished at the noon lunch hour. This was the third year of this service, and the benefits are so marked that we hope that it will be made a permanent institution. The cost for the last two years has been \$132.46 and \$171.30 respectively, most of which was raised through the devoted interest and active work of the late Mrs. Conrad P. Hatheway. The same service was begun again this month of December with a small fund of \$30, donated by the Home Economics Club, and \$50 by the Lincoln Grange, together with one hundred pounds of cocoa and one hundred pounds of sugar given by individuals.

Last April, the Dental Clinic of the Middlesex County Farm Bureau began work among the school children. Eighty-five different children had their teeth attended to by the dentists at a moderate cost to the parents. Most of these children had never before been to a dentist, and in all probability would not have done so for several years to come.

STATISTICS

The following statistics, for the year ending June 30, were furnished the Department of Education of the Commonwealth:

Pupils enrolled	210
Boys	110

Girls	100
Pupils for whom the town paid tuition elsewhere.....	25
Non-resident pupils attending school in Lincoln.....	23
Average daily attendance	183
Number of days schools were in session	180
Average membership	199
Registration of minors, April 1, 1921,	
5 years and under 7	48
7 years and under 14	169
14 years and under 16	38
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Total	255

MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, DECEMBER 23, 1921

Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Total
Grade I -		18	3	1									22
“ II -		1	14	16	4	0	1	1					37
“ III -			1	12	11	3	1						28
“ IV -				1	10	8	5	5	2	2			33
“ V -					2	8	12	3	1				26
“ VI -						1	3	4	6	5	1		20
“ VII -							1	4	7	7	3		22
“ VIII -								2	5	6	4	3	20
“ IX -								2	0	1	7	0	10
Total		19	18	30	27	20	23	21	21	21	15	3	218

The figures in the first space to the right of the first heavy line show the numbers of normal age for the grade, while those to the right of the second heavy line are three years above this normal age and must be classed as backward.

The growth of the school has been slow but steady. At the end of the fall term the membership for the last four years has been

1918	151
1919	185
1920	199
1921	207

Since 1918 we have had the lowest high school grade added to our numbers, but as these number only ten pupils it is seen that our real increase has been 46 in the last four years, or more than one additional school room.

The Town is now paying tuition for 40 pupils in the high schools of other towns, 29 in Concord, 6 in Waltham, 2 in Weston, 1 in Lexington, and 2 in the Boston Trades School. With the 10 in our home school, the Town is now providing high school education for 50 pupils.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. MORSS,
Superintendent.

Lincoln, Mass., December 31, 1921.

NOTICE:

Business Meeting Monday, March 6th, at 1 P. M.

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said County:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote at Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Monday, the sixth day of March next at 1 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on all of the following Articles except Article 2, and to meet in said Town Hall on Saturday, the eleventh day of March next at 12 o'clock noon, then and there to act on the following Article 2, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the sixth day of March next:

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Saturday, March 11th, will be open at 12 o'clock noon and may be closed at 6:30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other officers required by law to be elected by Australian ballot:

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector for one year.

One Auditor for one year.

Two Constables for one year.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of Trustees for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

Also to vote "Yes" or "No" upon the following question:

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages in this Town?"

ART. 3. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees and officers required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

ART. 4. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

ART. 5. To appropriate money for necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

ART. 6. To determine the manner of collecting taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 7. To determine the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year, beginning January 1st, 1922, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor payable in one year from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will extend the electric lights—street and commercial—from near the house of the Misses

Chapin to the house of the Misses Peirce or make any extension of street lighting.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will adopt any by-law to control advertising signs on or near the highways, or revise the by-laws in any respect, or take any action in relation to the matter.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to confer with the Prudential Committee of the 1st Parish to determine if possible the relative interests of the town and parish in the Common (so-called) or take any action in relation to the matter.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will purchase additional equipment for the Fire Department and appropriate money for the same or take any action in relation to the matter.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to appoint a committee of citizens to investigate and report at the next Town Meeting on the possibility of establishing a Town forest and to appropriate the sum of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25) for the use of the committee for this purpose.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will purchase the Lewis Pickle Factory property (so-called) or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will maintain a District Nurse in Lincoln until March 1st, 1923, or take any action regarding the same.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will acquire, by purchase or otherwise, sufficient land for a playground or athletic field and appropriate any money for the same, or take any action there-

on, or appropriate a sum of money to improve the schoolhouse grounds or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will take any action toward providing an addition to the present school building in the center of the Town, or take any action toward the erection of a new schoolhouse building, and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to adopt some method or methods of keeping the citizens informed on Town business, or take any action relative to the same.

HEREOF FAIL NOT.

And make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 11th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

By-Laws of the Town of Lincoln

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS.

At the Superior Court, within and for the County
of Middlesex, Anno Domini, 1897.

The following By-Laws of the Town of Lincoln, in said
County, are presented to this Court for approval, to wit:—

“ARTICLE I.

TOWN MEETINGS.

Section 1. The annual town meeting shall be held on the
first Monday of March in each year.

Sect. 2. Notice of every town meeting shall be given by
posting copies of the warrant calling the same, attested by
the officer making service thereof, in each of the post-offices
within the town, and in one of the churches, or one other
public place, within the town, not less than seven days be-
fore the day appointed for such meeting. But when, in the
judgment of the selectmen, the interests of the town require
a meeting to be held without giving so long a notice, a
meeting may be called by posting attested copies of the
warrant in the places above mentioned, and by leaving a

printed copy thereof at each dwelling-house within the town, at least three days before the time appointed for the meeting ; provided that in such cases the selectmen shall certify that, in their opinion, the interests of the town require that a town meeting be called upon a notice of less than seven days, which certificate shall be made upon, or attached to, the original warrant, and shall be served as a part thereof.

ARTICLE II.

FINANCES.

Section 1. The financial year shall commence with the first day of February and end with the thirty-first day of January annually.

Sect. 2. The town treasurer shall have the custody of all funds belonging to the town except sinking funds, trust funds and funds for which other provision is made by law ; and he shall pay no money from the treasury except upon a draft signed by a majority of the selectmen, stating the account to which the same is chargeable. Such draft shall be sufficient authority to the treasurer to pay the same, and the payment thereof shall discharge him from all liability on account of the money so paid.

Sect. 3. The water commissioners and all other boards, committees and officers shall, on the first day of each month, pay to the town treasurer all sums collected by them the month previous to the custody of which the treasurer is entitled.

Sect. 4. A majority of the water commissioners, school committee, or of any board, or committee, and any officer having charge of the expenditure of an appropriation, shall

approve in writing all accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls properly chargeable to such appropriation, and shall transmit the same with his or their approval to the selectmen. All other accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls shall be examined by the selectmen and, if proper, shall be approved by them. The selectmen shall label all accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls which have been approved either by themselves or by the other officers before mentioned, and shall keep a record thereof in a book kept for the purpose, stating the persons to whom payable, the amounts and dates thereof, and the funds, or appropriations, from which the same are payable.

Sect. 5. Drafts signed by a majority of the selectmen, stating the accounts to which the same are chargeable, shall be drawn upon the treasurer for the payment of all sums by law payable from the treasury to the commonwealth or county, final judgments of courts, bonds, notes, and scrip of the town and interest thereon and money payable to the commissioners of the sinking fund and to the trustees of the public library; and also for the payment of all accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls which have been approved in the manner provided in the previous section. Such drafts shall not be negotiated, but shall be transmitted by the selectmen directly to the treasurer accompanied by the approved bills or other documents for the settlement of which the drafts are drawn.

Sect. 6. The treasurer shall file and safely keep all approved and receipted accounts, claims, bills, and pay-rolls, and all vouchers, cancelled bonds, notes, scrip, and other evidences of indebtedness of the town which have been paid from the treasury.

Sect. 7. No draft shall be drawn by the selectmen unless there is sufficient appropriation to pay the same, except for sums by law payable to the commonwealth or county, final judgments of courts, bonds, notes and scrip of the town and

interest thereon, and money payable to the commissioners of the sinking fund.

Sect. 8. The selectmen and treasurer respectively shall make a record, in a book kept for the purpose, of each appropriation, with a list of the drafts drawn against such appropriation, and shall make a record of all bonds, notes, scrip or other evidence of indebtedness of the town, signed or countersigned by them.

Sect. 9. When the bills contracted or approved by any board, committee, or officer have exhausted the entire appropriation for such board, committee or officer, they shall incur no further expenditure, except in cases where such expenditure may be required by law; and it shall be the duty of each board, committee or officer before the close of the financial year to approve all accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls chargeable to their appropriation. During the interval between the thirty-first day of January in each year and the time of making the next annual appropriations, the selectmen, school committee and water commissioners, in order to meet the liabilities of their several departments, incurred in the carrying on of the work entrusted to them, shall have authority to make expenditures and payments from the treasury from any available funds therein, and the same shall be charged against the next annual appropriation. Such expenditures and liability incurred for any purpose shall not exceed one-fourth the entire amount appropriated for that purpose in the previous year.

Sect. 10. Unless the town shall expressly otherwise vote, no extension of water pipes shall be made unless before the work of construction is begun one or more of the persons whom it is proposed to supply with water by means of such extension, shall file with the town clerk a bond with sureties satisfactory to the water commissioners, conditioned to pay

to the town for five years next following the completion of such extension and the letting of water into the same, a sum sufficient, together with the net annual income from such extension, to amount annually to five per centum of the total cost thereof.

ARTICLE III.

TOWN SEAL.

Section 1. The design of the town seal shall be: a circle, in the border the words "Lincoln. Incorporated in 1746 as a precinct; in 1754 as a Town"; in the center, a shield, in the chief or upper part of which on a cross, gules, a fleur-de-lis, gold, from the old seal of Lincoln, England, and in the base of the shield a view of the present town hall; crest, the old chestnut tree standing upon the common in Lincoln; in saltire two shepherd's crooks; the device thereof being as follows:

Sect. 2. All deeds and other legal documents made, given or entered into by the town requiring a seal shall be sealed with the town seal, and signed in behalf of the town by a majority of the selectmen.

Sect. 3. The town clerk shall have the custody of the town seal.

ARTICLE IV.

RECORDS.

Section 1. The town clerk shall record in full in a book kept for the purpose all written contracts, deeds and other

instruments to which the town is a party except such instruments as may by law be recorded in the Registry of Deeds; and it shall be the duty of any board or officer executing or receiving such written contract, or other instrument, to deliver the same forthwith to the town clerk for the purpose of record. It shall be the duty of the town clerk to see that all conveyances of real estate to the town are properly recorded in the Registry of Deeds.

Sect. 2. The town clerk shall keep a file of all town reports, reports of all committees chosen by the town, and all original documents relating to the affairs of the town which may come into his possession.

ARTICLE V.

Books.

Section 1. Books, records and laws received by the town from the commonwealth shall be deposited in the public library building.

Sect. 2. It shall be the duty of the town officer by whom any book mentioned in the preceding section is received, to cause the same to be at once deposited in the public library building.

Sect. 3. Such books may be used by the inhabitants of the town within such building, and may be taken therefrom upon written receipt to the librarian for a period not exceeding one day at any one time for use in any town meeting, or by or before any committee or official of the town.

ARTICLE VI.

SUITS AND CONTROVERSIES.

Section 1. The selectmen may compromise claims and suits to which the town is a party, provided that they shall act upon the advice of counsel when the amount claimed by or against the town exceeds \$200.00.

Sect. 2. The selectmen shall have, unless it is otherwise voted by the town, full authority as agents of the town to institute and prosecute suits or other proceedings in the name of the town before any tribunal, to appear and represent or defend the town before any tribunal in all suits and other proceedings against the town or in which the town has an interest, to employ counsel for the purpose aforesaid and for other purposes when it may be expedient to do so, and to take all necessary and proper measures for the protection of the interests and rights of the town.

Sect. 3. If the town shall, at any meeting called for the purpose, choose a committee on claims, such committee shall have and exercise exclusively all the powers and duties conferred upon the selectmen by the two preceding sections.

ARTICLE VII.

REPORTS AND PUBLICATIONS BY THE TOWN.

Section 1. The annual reports of the town officers, boards and committees shall be prepared in form suitable for printing on or before the tenth day of February in each year. The selectmen shall cause such reports to be printed and distributed to the legal voters of the town seven days at least before the annual meeting.

Sect. 2. The selectmen shall cause to be printed and bound each year with the annual reports of the town officers, boards and committees, a copy of the records of the town meetings during the preceding year; a statement of all devices, bequests and donations to the town during the preceding year; a list of all laws of the commonwealth accepted by the town during the year; all by-laws adopted by the town since the preceding annual report; copies of the laying out, alteration, locating anew or discontinuance of any highway or townway within the limits of the town during the preceding year; and a statement of all outstanding bonds, notes and obligations of the town for the payment of money.

Sect. 3. The selectmen shall from time to time cause to be printed a sufficient number of copies of the by-laws of the town and shall incorporate therewith a list of the laws of the commonwealth which have been accepted by the town.

ARTICLE VIII.

TRUANTS.

Section 1. Any minor being an habitual truant, and any child between the ages of seven and fifteen years found wandering about the streets or public places within the town having no lawful occupation or business, not attending school, and growing up in ignorance, and such children as persistently violate the reasonable rules and regulations of the public schools, may upon conviction thereof be committed to the Middlesex County Truant School at Chelmsford, Mass., or to any other place provided by the town within its limits, for confinement, instruction, and discipline.

ARTICLE IX.

PUBLIC REGULATIONS.

Section 1. No person shall coast upon any public street or part thereof after the selectmen have posted a notice prohibiting coasting upon such street or part thereof.

Sect. 2. No person, unless authorized by law, shall break or dig up any part of any street without a written permit therefor from the selectmen. Every person who after obtaining such permit shall obstruct or render unsafe any public street, shall guard the same by a proper fence or railing, and by lights during the night time, subject to the approval of the selectmen. Such permit may be revoked at any time.

Sect. 3. No person shall be or remain in any doorway, or upon any stairs, doorstep, portico or other projection from any house or building, or upon or against any wall or fence on or near any street or public place, after having been requested by the owner or any occupant of the premises or by any constable or police officer to remove therefrom.

Sect. 4. No person shall make, write, print, paint, cut or post any indecent or obscene marks, words, figures or signs upon any fence, building, post, tree or other object exposed to public view.

Sect. 5. No person shall wilfully injure, mar, deface or destroy any fence, signboard, guideboard, lamp-post, lamp or lantern in any street or public place, nor extinguish any street light, nor extinguish or remove any light placed to denote an obstruction or a defect in any public street or way, without proper authority to do so.

Sect. 6. Any person who shall offend against any of the provisions of this article shall forfeit and pay, for each offense, a sum not exceeding twenty dollars."

Which said By-Laws being seen and understood by the Court, are on this nineteenth day of June, A. D. 1897, approved.

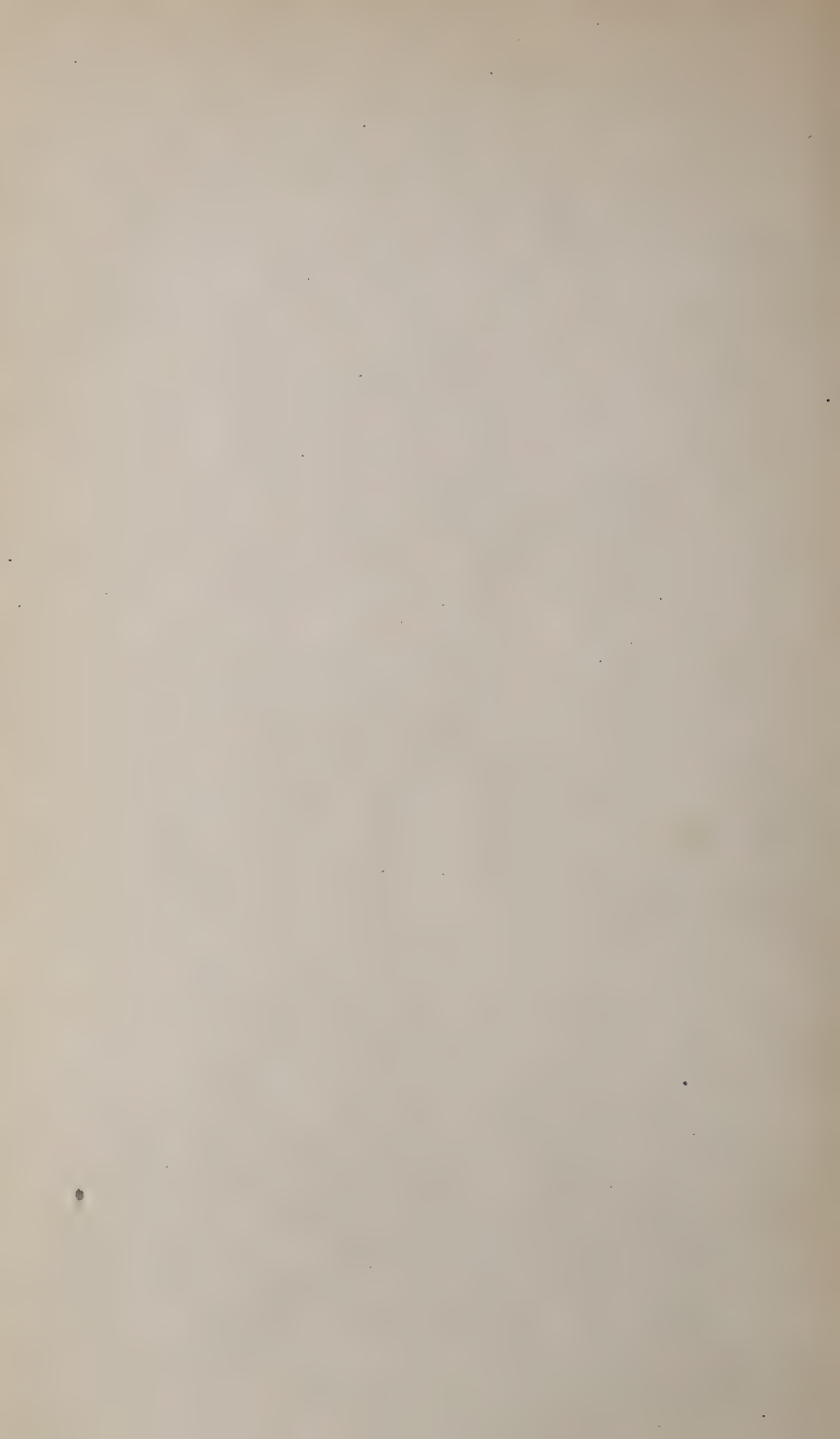
In testimony that the foregoing is a true copy of record, I hereto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court, this twenty-second day of June, A. D. 1897.

RALPH M. SMITH, Ass't Clerk.

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TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1922-1923

Town Clerk.

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

CHARLES S. SMITH (<i>Chairman</i>)	Term expires	1924
JOHN F. FARRAR	" "	1925
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	" "	1923

Board of Health.

GEORGE G. TARBELL	Term expires	1924
MARTIN M. WELCH	" "	1925
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	" "	1923

Assessors.

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN (<i>Chairman</i>)	Term expires	1923
WILLIAM C. PEIRCE	" "	1925
HERBERT G. FARRAR	" "	1924

Treasurer.

C. LEE TODD

Collector of Taxes.

THOMAS L. GILES

Auditor.

JAMES W. LENNON

Constables.

JOHN J. KELLIHER
GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM

Commissioners of Trust Funds.

CHARLES S. SMITH	Term expires 1924
C. LEE TODD	" " 1925
DONALD GORDON	" " 1923

Tree Warden.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Trustees of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures.

EDWARD F. FLINT (<i>Chairman</i>)	Term expires 1924
C. LEE TODD	" " 1925
DONALD GORDON	" " 1923

School Committee.

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY	Term expires 1925
GEORGE G. TARBELL	" " 1923
EDITH B. FARRAR	" " 1924

Water Commissioners.

JOHN J. KELLIHER	Term expires 1925
SUMNER SMITH	" " 1923
ROBERT R. HUNTER	" " 1924

Cemetery Commissioners.

CHARLES S. SMITH	Term expires 1924
EDWARD F. FLINT	" " 1925
FRITZ CUNNERT	" " 1923

Field Drivers.

MATTHEW F. DOUGHERTY
JOHN F. FARRAR

STUART G. DICKSON
ROBERT D. DONALDSON

Fence Viewers.

JOHN F. FARRAR

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN

Surveyor of Lumber.

ELMER A. ROLLINS

Measurers of Wood and Bark.

JOHN F. FARRAR

ELMER A. ROLLINS

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY

JOHN T. CLARK

Trustees of Lincoln Library.

GEORGE G. TARBELL

JOHN F. FARRAR

C. LEE TODD

CHARLES S. SMITH, *Chairman of Selectmen ex-officio*

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, *Chairman School Committee ex-officio*

Registrars.

CHARLES S. SMITH
ROBERT D. DONALDSON

JOHN F. FARRAR
WILLIAM C. PEIRCE

Special Police, Appointed by the Selectmen for 1922.

WINSLOW A. EATON
JOHN F. FARRAR
FREDERICK H. POLLARD
HECTOR MacLEAN
ROBERT D. DONALDSON
FRANCIS H. CUNNINGHAM

ISAAC LANGILLE
WILLIAM M. HILLIARD
MATTHEW H. DOHERTY
J. REDMAN HARTWELL
MARTIN CORRIGAN
HERBERT G. FARRAR

The following men have been appointed by the Selectmen, as Special Police for the Town of Lincoln:

FREDERICK HART, of Concord.

WILLIAM CRAIG, of Concord.

HARRY PATTERSON, of Concord.

LOUIS FRAZEE, of Concord.

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE.

Town Clerk.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Proceedings of a Town Meeting held
March 6, 1922

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said County:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote at Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Monday, the sixth day of March next at 1 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on all of the following Articles except Article 2, and to meet in said Town Hall on Saturday, the eleventh day of March next at 12 o'clock noon, then and there to act on the following Article 2, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the sixth day of March next:

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Saturday, March 11th, will be open at 12 o'clock noon and may be closed at 6:30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other officers required by law to be elected by Australian ballot:

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector for one year.

One Auditor for one year.

Two Constables for one year.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of Trustees for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

Also to vote "Yes" or "No" upon the following question:

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages in this Town?"

ART. 3. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees and officers required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

ART. 4. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

ART. 5. To appropriate money for necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

ART. 6. To determine the manner of collecting taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 7. To determine the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year, beginning January 1st, 1922, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor payable in one year from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will extend the electric lights—street and commercial—from near the house of the Misses Chapin to the house of the Misses Peirce or make any extension of street lighting.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will adopt any by-law to control advertising signs on or near the highways, or revise the by-laws in any respect, or take any action in relation to the matter.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to confer with the Prudential Committee of the 1st Parish to determine if possible the relative interests of the town and parish in the Common (so-called) or take any action in relation to the matter.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will purchase additional equipment for the Fire Department and appropriate money for the same or take any action in relation to the matter.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to appoint a committee of citizens to investigate and report at the next Town Meeting on the possibility of establishing a Town forest and to appropriate the sum of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25) for the use of the committee for this purpose.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will purchase the Lewis Pickle Factory property (so-called) or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will maintain a District Nurse in Lincoln until March 1st, 1923, or take any action regarding the same.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will acquire, by purchase or otherwise, sufficient land for a playground or athletic field and appropriate any money for the same, or take any action thereon, or appropriate a sum of money to improve the schoolhouse grounds or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will take any action toward providing an addition to the present school building in the center of the Town, or take any action toward the erection of a new schoolhouse building, and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to adopt some method or methods of keeping the citizens informed on Town business, or take any action relative to the same.

HEREOF FAIL NOT.

And make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 11th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

The following return is on the back of the Warrant:

Feb. 23, 1922.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and one at the Railroad Station seven days before date of said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

Pursuant to the above Warrant, the meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk at 1 o'clock P. M. Warrant was read by the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 1. Sumner Smith was chosen Moderator.

* Article 3 was then taken up.

ART. 3.

Field Drivers.—

Matthew F. Dougherty
Stuart G. Dickson
John F. Farrar
Robert D. Donaldson

Fence Viewers.—

John F. Farrar
William H. Sherman

Surveyor of Lumber.—

Elmer A. Rollins

Measurers of Wood and Bark.—

John F. Farrar
Elmer A. Rollins

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.—

Conrad P. Hatheway

John T. Clark

ART. 4. Voted: That the Reports of Town Officers, Commissioners and Trustees, as printed in the Town Report, be accepted.

Voted: That the report of the Pickle Factory Committee be taken up with Art. 14.

ART. 5.

Appropriations.—

For Schools	\$20,500.00
For Transportation of Children	5,500.00
For Support of Poor	500.00
For Highway and Bridges	12,000.00

On a motion that the wages of the laborers who work on the Highway be left with the Selectmen and the Superintendent of Streets. The vote was Yes 88, No 90.

On a motion made by Anthony J. Doherty, that out of the appropriation for general highway work, the pay of laborers employed on the Highway who are citizens be \$3.50 per day. Voted to lay on the table. Yes 109, No 82.

For Station Road, from the house of the Misses Chapin to Farnsworth corner (so called) ..	4,000.00
For South Great Road. (Taken from money in Treasury.) To be expended by the Select- men in conjunction with the State and County	7,500.00
For Library. Dog tax and	800.00

For Cemeteries (taken from Cemetery Fund) ...	500.00
For Board of Health	500.00
For Tree Warden	3,500.00
For Miscellaneous expenses	8,000.00
For Hydrants and other Water Service	2,400.00
For Waltham Hospital Free Bed	300.00
For Street Lamps	1,800.00
For Fire Department	1,000.00
For Payment of Water Bonds. (Taken from Water Works income)	1,000.00
For Water Works Sinking Fund. (Taken from Water Works income)	1,500.00
For District Nurse	750.00

ART. 6. Voted: That the taxes be collected in the same manner as last year.

ART. 7. Voted: That the compensation of the Collector be $1\frac{1}{2}\%$ of the amount collected.

ART. 8. Voted: That the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year beginning January 1, 1922 in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy, for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor payable in one year from the date thereof, all debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. Voted: That no more lights be put in Lincoln until North Lincoln get their lights.

Voted: To reconsider this vote.

Voted: To put street lights from the house of W. C. Peirce to the house of the Misses Chapin.

ART. 10. Voted: That the Town choose a committee consisting of the Selectmen, Conrad P. Hatheway and F. Winchester Denio, to draft a new set of By-laws for the Town, to be presented at some future meeting for approval.

ART. 11. Voted: That the Town choose a committee consisting of Edward F. Flint, George G. Tarbell and C. Lee Todd, to confer with the Prudential Committee of the First Parish, to determine the relative interests of the Town in the Common, with authority to prepare and execute in the name of the Town the proper deeds for finally adjusting the matter.

ART. 12. Voted: That the sum of \$800.00 be appropriated for a motor apparatus and appliances for the Fire Department.

ART. 13. Voted to pass over.

ART. 14. A motion was made that the Town purchase the Lewis Pickle Factory property (so called) at a cost not to exceed \$16,000.00, and that a committee be appointed to arrange for the purchase, and to investigate and report to the Town the best method of providing the funds for said purchase. Vote was Yes 67, No 126. The check list was used.

Under Art. 14 the following vote was passed:

Voted: That a committee consisting of C. Lee Todd, Andrew J. Dougherty, William H. Sherman and George G. Tarbell, be a committee to look into the matter of housing the Town teams and all Town equipment and to report to the Town at the next Town Meeting with recommendations, if any.

ART. 15. Voted: That the Town maintain a District Nurse for one year from March 1, 1922 to March 1, 1923 and appropriate \$750.00 towards her salary.

ART. 16. Voted: That it is the sense of this meeting that the Town stands in need of an athletic field or playground and that the location most suitable for this purpose is the lot of land owned by the Codman family in the south part of the Town opposite St. Joseph's Church, and adjoining the Jackman land, and that the present playground committee be directed to take further steps to secure this land and report its progress and recommendations to the Town at a future meeting.

The report of the Playground Committee is recorded on the Town Books.

ART. 17. Motion made that the whole matter be referred to the School Committee for investigation and to report at the next annual Town Meeting, and an amendment was offered that an additional committee of three be appointed by the chair to serve with the School Committee.

Both motion and amendment carried.

The Moderator appointed Chester G. Peck, C. Lee Todd and Thomas J. Dee to serve with the School Committee.

Voted to adjourn.

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,

Town Clerk.

**Proceedings of a Town Meeting held
March 11, 1922 for the Election of
Town Officers**

The meeting for the election of Town Officers was called to order at 12 o'clock noon. The Moderator appointed Thomas J. Dee and Harold S. Cousins, Ballot Clerks; Winslow A. Eaton, Edward M. Stone and Jennie B. Bent, Tellers. The polls were then declared open. At 7.15 P. M. the polls were closed. There were 416 ballots cast, and the counter on the ballot box agreed with the check list used by the Ballot Clerks and Tellers.

The result of the Ballot was as follows:

ART. 2.

Town Clerk.—

William C. Peirce (Sworn)	332 votes
Thomas J. Coan	10 "
Blanks	74 "

Selectman, for three years.—

John F. Farrar (Sworn)	187 votes
George G. Tarbell	113 "
Andrew John Dougherty	112 "

Assessor, for three years.—

William C. Peirce (Sworn)	336 votes
Blanks	80 "

Treasurer.—

C. Lee Todd (Sworn)	341 votes
Blanks	75 “

Collector of Taxes.—

Thomas L. Giles (Sworn)	334 votes
Blanks	82 “

Auditor.—

James W. Lennon (Sworn)	333 votes
Blanks	83 “

Constables.—

George E. Cunningham (Sworn)	295 votes
John J. Kelliher (Sworn)	312 “

School Committee, for three years.—

Anthony J. Doherty (Sworn)	290 votes
Martin J. Rooney	1 “
Blanks	125 “

Water Commissioner, for three years.—

John J. Kelliher	303 votes
Blanks	113 “

Board of Health, for three years.—

Martin M. Welch	254 votes
Earl F. Gates	144 “

Tree Warden.—

John J. Kelliher	309 votes
Blanks	107 “

Cemetery Commissioner, for three years.—

Edward F. Flint	308 votes
Blanks	108 “

Commissioner of Trust Funds, for three years.—

C. Lee Todd	308 votes
Blanks	108 “

**Trustee for Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures,
for three years.—**

C. Lee Todd	311 votes
Blanks	105 “

**Question, Shall Licenses be granted for the sale
of certain Non-Intoxicating Beverages in this
Town?—**

Yes	107 votes
No	190 “
Blanks	119 “

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

Proceedings of a Special Town Meeting held
May 27, 1922

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
MIDDLESEX, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said
County :

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote at Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Saturday, the twenty-seventh day of May next at 8 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following Articles, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the twenty-seventh day of May next :

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To see if the Town will reconsider the votes as recorded by the Town Clerk as passed under Article 5 of the 1922 Annual Town Meeting, in connection with the special appropriation for Highways, or take any other action with reference to said votes, or the subject matter of said votes.

HEREOF FAIL NOT.

And make due return of this Warrant with your doings

thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 18th day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

Lincoln, May 20, 1922.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and one in the Railroad Station seven days before date of said Meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

On the back of the Warrant is the following return.

Lincoln, May 20, 1922.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and one in the Railroad Station seven days before date of said Meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

Pursuant to the above Warrant, the meeting was called to order at 8 o'clock P. M. by the Town Clerk, who read the Warrant.

ARTICLE 1. Sumner Smith was chosen Moderator.

ART. 2. Voted: To reconsider the vote passed at the Annual Town Meeting, whereby it was recorded that the

Town appropriate the sum of \$7,500.00 for repairs on the South Great Road.

Voted: To reconsider the vote appropriating the sum of \$4,000.00 for repairs on the Depot road from the Misses Chapin to Farnsworth corner (so called).

Voted: That \$7,500.00 be appropriated for construction on the Codman road (so called) from a point near St. Ann's Church, to the Bent corner, and that the money be taken from funds in the Treasury, to be expended by the Selectmen in conjunction with the State and County.

Voted: That \$4,000.00 be appropriated for special construction on the Depot road from the centre of the town to Farnsworth corner except that portion from the Misses Chapin to the Misses Campbell.

Voted to adjourn.

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,

Town Clerk.

The result of the State Primary election held September 12, 1922 was as follows:

Republican Party

For Governor.—

J. Weston Allen	11 votes
Channing H. Cox	104 “
Blanks	1 “

For Lieutenant-Governor.—

Alvan T. Fuller	76 votes
Joseph E. Warner	36 “
Blanks	4 “

For Secretary.—

Frederick W. Cook	111 votes
Blanks	5 “

For Treasurer.—

Fred J. Burrell	10 votes
James Jackson	102 “
Blanks	4 “

For Auditor.—

J. Arthur Baker	68 votes
Alonzo B. Cook	42 “
Blanks	6 “

For Attorney-General.—

Jay R. Benton	67 votes
John D. W. Bodfish	0 “
James F. Cavanagh	0 “

G. Howard Donnell	1	"
George P. Drury	28	"
Howard D. Wilson	7	"
Blanks	13	"

For Senator in Congress.—

Henry Cabot Lodge	104	votes
Joseph Walker	9	"
Blanks	3	"

For Congressman, Fifth District.—

John Jacob Rogers	106	votes
Blanks	10	"

For Councillor, Sixth District.—

Charles S. Smith	107	votes
Blanks	9	"

For Senator, Fifth Middlesex District.—

John M. Gibbs	98	votes
Blanks	18	"

For Representative in General Court, Thirteenth Middlesex District.—

Benjamin Loring Young	108	votes
Blanks	8	"

For County Commissioner, Middlesex County.—

Erson B. Barlow	95	votes
Blanks	21	"

For Associate Commissioner.—

John F. Farrar	2 votes
Blanks	114 “

For District Attorney, Northern District.—

William C. Drouet	3 votes
Benjamin F. Haines	18 “
George Stanley Harvey	5 “
Gardner W. Pearson	22 “
Arthur K. Reading	17 “
James C. Reilly	31 “
Anthony J. Doherty	2 “

For Clerk of Courts, Middlesex County.—

Ralph N. Smith	94 votes
Blanks	22 “

For Register of Deeds, Middlesex Southern District.—

Thomas Leighton, Jr.	91 votes
Blanks	25 “

For County Treasurer, Middlesex County.—

Charles E. Hatfield	92 votes
Blanks	24 “

For State Committee, Fifth Middlesex District.—

Edward F. Simoneau	79 votes
Blanks	37 “

For Delegates to State Convention.—

George G. Tarbell	100 votes
Robert D. Donaldson	99 “
Henry E. Warner	1 “

For Town Committee.—

Charles S. Smith	98 votes
John F. Farrar	89 “
Robert D. Donaldson	94 “
Edith B. Farrar	93 “
Hope Hunt	90 “
Ellen W. Eldredge	98 “

Democratic Party**For Governor.—**

Joseph B. Ely	1 votes
John F. Fitzgerald	34 “
Eugene Foss	4 “
Peter F. Sullivan	3 “

For Lieutenant-Governor.—

John J. Cummings	9 votes
John F. Doherty	23 “
Michael A. O'Leary	7 “

For Secretary.—

Charles H. McGlue	26 votes
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For Treasurer.—

Joseph E. Venne	25 votes
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For Auditor.—

Alice E. Cram	30 votes
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For Attorney-General.—

John E. Swift	24 votes
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For Senator in Congress.—

William A. Gaston	13 votes
Dallas Lore Sharp	0 “
John Jackson Walsh	12 “
Sherman L. Whipple	16 “

For Congressman, Fifth District.—

Andrew E. Barrett	28 votes
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For Senator, Fifth Middlesex District.—

William H. Murphy	1 votes
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For Representative in General Court, Thirteenth Middlesex District.—

Cornelius F. Darrington	23 votes
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For District Attorney, Northern District.—

Anthony J. Doherty	46 votes
James C. Reilly	1 “

For State Committee, Fifth Middlesex District.—

Joseph McMannus	4 votes
Mar in M. Welch	1 “
Thomas L. Giles	1 “

For Delegate to State Convention.—

Anthony J. Doherty	1 votes
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For Town Committee.—

Martin M. Welch	7 votes
Thomas J. Dee	6 "
Anthony J. Doherty	5 "
Thomas L. Giles	3 "
Patrick F. Corrigan	1 "
William Conway	1 "
Thomas Coan	1 "
Francis H. Cunningham	1 "

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,

Town Clerk

Proceedings at the State Election held
November 7, 1922

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To any Constable in the Town of Lincoln in said County :

GREETING :

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Lincoln duly qualified to vote in the election of State and County Officers to assemble in Town Hall on Tuesday, November 7th, at seven o'clock in the forenoon to give in their votes for the following officers, viz.: Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney-General, Senator in Congress, Congressman, Councillor, Senator, Representative in General Court, County Commissioner, Associate County Commissioners (two), District Attorney and any other officer required by law to be chosen in the month of November of the current year.

All officers enumerated above are to be designated and voted for on one ballot, and also the various referenda.

The polls to be opened at seven o'clock A. M. and may be closed at six o'clock P. M., and you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy thereof in each of the Post Offices and on one of the Churches or in some other

public place, seven days at least before the day appointed for said meeting, and to make seasonable return thereof with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk.

HEREOF FAIL NOT.

Given under our hands this twenty-seventh day of October in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-two.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

On the back of the Warrant is the following return:

Lincoln, Oct. 30, 1922.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and one in the Railroad Station, seven days before said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

Pursuant to the above Warrant, the meeting was called to order at 7 o'clock A. M. by John F. Farrar, acting chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who read the Warrant, and administered the oath of office to Thomas J. Dee as Ballot Clerk and to George G. Tarbell and Thomas L. Giles, as Tellers. Later in the day Jennie B. Bent, A. Harriet Peirce and Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr., were sworn as Tellers, by the Town Clerk. There were 372 ballots cast, 148 women and 224 men having voted. This count agreed with the check list used by the Ballot Clerk, and with the counter on the Ballot box. At 7 o'clock P. M. the polls were declared closed.

The following is the result of the Ballot:

For Governor.—

Channing H. Cox (R.)	280 votes
John F. Fitzgerald (D.)	81 “
Henry Hess (S. L.)	1 “
Walter S. Hutchins (S.)	2 “
John B. Lewis (P.)	1 “
Blanks	7 “

For Lieutenant-Governor.—

John F. Doherty (D.)	77 votes
Alvan T. Fuller (R.)	265 “
Oscar Kinsalis (S. L.)	4 “
Thomas Nicholson (S.)	3 “
Blanks	23 “

For Secretary.—

Frederick W. Cook (R.)	270 votes
Albert Sprague Coolidge (S.)	4 “
James Hays (S. L.)	2 “
Charles H. McGlue (D.)	63 “
Blanks	33 “

For Treasurer.—

James Jackson (R.)	279 votes
Patrick H. Loftus (S. L.)	4 “
Dennis F. Reagan (S.)	2 “
Joseph E. Venne (D.)	59 “
Blanks	28 “

For Auditor.—

John Aiken (S. L.)	1 votes
Alonzo B. Cook (R.)	210 “

Alice E. Cram (D.)	111	"
Edith M. Williams (S.)	5	"
Blanks	45	"

For Attorney-General.—

Joseph Bearak (S.)	2	votes
Jay R. Benton (R.)	264	"
David Craig (S. L.)	3	"
John E. Swift (D.)	68	"
Blanks	35	"

For Senator in Congress.—

Washington Cook (I.)	3	votes
William A. Gaston (D.)	83	"
Henry Cabot Lodge (R.)	239	"
John A. Nicholls (P. P.)	20	"
John Weaver Sherman (S.)	3	"
William E. Weeks (P.)	2	"
Blanks	22	"

For Congressman, Fifth District.—

Andrew E. Barrett (D.)	67	votes
John Jacob Rogers (R.)	279	"
Blanks	25	"

For Councillor, Sixth District.—

Charles S. Smith (R.)	310	votes
Frank L. Page	1	"
Blanks	61	"

For Senator, Fifth Middlesex District.—

John M. Gibbs (R.)	264	votes
William H. Murphy (D.)	67	"
Blanks	41	"

For Representative in General Court, Thirteenth Middlesex District.—

Cornelius F. Darrington (D.)	57 votes
Benjamin Loring Young (R.)	286 “
Blanks	29 “

For County Commissioner, Middlesex County.—

Erson B. Barlow (R.)	264 votes
Blanks	108 “

For Associate Commissioners, Middlesex County.—

Sherman H. Fletcher (R.)	288 votes
John M. Keyes (R.)	227 “

For District Attorney, Northern District.—

Arthur K. Reading (R.)	212 votes
James C. Reilly (D.)	128 “
Blanks	32 “

For Clerk of Courts, Middlesex County.—

Ralph N. Smith (R.)	276 votes
Blanks	96 “

For Register of Deeds, Middlesex Southern District.—

Thomas Leighton, Jr. (R.)	276 votes
Blanks	96 “

For County Treasurer, Middlesex County.—

(To fill vacancy.)

Charles E. Hatfield (R.)	273 votes
Blanks	99 “

Referendum Question No. 1—Amendment to Constitution.—

Yes	200 votes
No	62 “
Blanks	110 “

Referendum Question No. 2.—

Yes	198 votes
No	74 “
Blanks	100 “

Referendum Question No. 3.—

Yes	104 votes
No	199 “
Blanks	69 “

Referendum Question No. 4.—

Yes	159 votes
No	150 “
Blanks	63 “

Referendum Question No. 5.—

Yes	249 votes
No	47 “
Blanks	76 “

Nov. 14. The recount for Senator in Congress held at Town Hall, Tuesday, November 14, 1922, was as follows:

Washington Cook (I.)	4 votes
William A. Gaston (D.)	83 “
Henry Cabot Lodge (R.)	238 “

John A. Nicholls (P. P.)	20	"
John Weaver Sherman (S.)	3	"
William E. Weeks (P.)	2	"
Blanks	22	"

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,

Town Clerk.

At a meeting of the Town Clerks of the Thirteenth Representative District of Middlesex County held at Concord, November 17, 1922, the vote for Representative in the General Court was determined as follows:

	Concord	Lincoln	Sudbury	Wayland	Weston	Total
Cornelius F. Darrington of Concord	490	57	30	176	38	791
Benjamin Loring Young of Weston	1344	286	240	427	714	3011
Blanks	189	29	21	49	32	320
Total	2023	372	291	652	784	4122

Two Certificates of the election of Benjamin Loring Young of Weston were prepared by the Clerks for transmission to the Secretary of the Commonwealth and to the Representative elect.

WILLIAM D. CROSS, Town Clerk of Concord.

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE, Town Clerk of Lincoln.

FRANK F. GERRY, Town Clerk of Sudbury.

WARREN L. BISHOP, Town Clerk of Wayland.

BRENTON H. DICKSON, JR., Town Clerk of Weston.

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,

Town Clerk.

There have been recorded during the year ending December 31, 1922, 9 Marriages, 32 Births, 23 Deaths.

Marriages Registered

Date of Marriage			Name	Residence
Jan.	25, 1922	{	Harry Rider	Lincoln
		}	Lylyn Pearl Smith	Dorchester
Feb.	26, 1922	{	Henry Glassett	Lincoln
		}	Pearl J. Noyse	Westboro
June	8, 1922	{	Vivanas Cobb	Lincoln
		}	Mabel Girard	Reading
July	8, 1922	{	Olin Altman Jensen	Lincoln
		}	Agnes Eleanor Rasmussen	Allston
Sept.	2, 1922	{	David Joseph Donahue	Boston
		}	Charlotte Adeline Swain	Lincoln
Sept.	2, 1922	{	Edward Joseph Bannon	Lincoln
		}	Catharine Leary	Lincoln
Oct.	24, 1922	{	John Edward McHugh	Lincoln
		}	Mary Florence Magurn	Concord
Nov.	23, 1922	{	Philip Rudolph Pike	Lincoln
		}	Emma Derithia Holmgren	Lincoln
Nov.	29, 1922	{	Donald Claud Wade	Lincoln
		}	Mary Durfee Chace	Lincoln

Births Registered

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
Mar. 3, 1921	Dorothy Coan	Thomas F. and Anna (Crawley)
Aug. 8, 1921	Hubert G. Hutton, Jr.	Hubert G. and Eleanor F. (Harrington)
Sept. 11, 1921	——— Rogers	William and Mary E. (Homer)
Sept. 28, 1921	Mary M. Casey	Robert E. and Mary E. (Deehan)
Dec. 20, 1921	Elizabeth Conant	Richard K. and Lily (Roberts)
Jan. 11, 1922	William Thomson	John and Jean Moir (Laird)
Feb. 4, 1922	Edward W. Mann	David W. and Iva S. (Cleland)
Feb. 12, 1922	——— Pedersen	Andrew and Sarah (Holmes)
Feb. 15, 1922	Ruth E. Wheeler	Earl R. and Eva A. (Haynes)
Feb. 28, 1922	John E. Herman	Edwards W. and Gladys de Y. (Field)
Mar. 12, 1922	Gloria A. Recchia	Franklin P. and Mary E. (O'Brien)
Mar. 20, 1922	Still Born Corrigan	Martin and Anna (Dempsey)
Mar. 24, 1922	John P. Denio	F. Winchester and Lucy (Shannon)
April 9, 1922	Mary A. Boyce	Manley B. and Alice M. (Govette)
April 22, 1922	John O'Hearn	William J. and Frances A. (Foley)
April 26, 1922	Peter L. Furiga	John J. and Lucy E. (Webb)
May 5, 1922	Anna Silva	Manuel and Adeloina (Perry)
May 21, 1922	Ralph L. Porter	John W. and Ethel (Langille)
May 22, 1922	Leo Algeo	John O. and Mary A. (Dee)
June 18, 1922	Still Born Campobasso	Joe and Anniva (Di Meo)
July 7, 1922	Elliot Heald	Jay M. and Ethel Le R. (Elliot)
Aug. 3, 1922	Alfred G. Butcher	Ralph E. and Annie M. (Gilbert)
Sept. 3, 1922	John Costello	William H. and Ellen E. (Gill)
Sept. 14, 1922	George Dorval	George R. and Elsie (Gebhardt)
Sept. 21, 1922	Mary S. Peters	John W. and Frances (Videva)
Oct. 2, 1922	Elizabeth E. Morton	Ernest and Jessie (Paine)
Oct. 3, 1922	Alice Paul Smith	Sumner and Alice (Wiggin)
Oct. 30, 1922	Lucy H. Page	George W. and Lucy M. (Harvey)
Nov. 25, 1922	James C. Lennon	John B. and Elizabeth (MacDonald)
Nov. 29, 1922	Mary } Murphy Jean }	George and Bridget (Norris)
Dec. 21, 1922	Joseph Mannarino	Joseph and Anna (Letterio)

EXTRACT FROM THE REVISED LAWS Chap. 29 AS AMENDED BY CHAP. 280, ACTS OF 1912

Sect. 1. Physicians and midwives shall, within forty-eight hours after the birth of every child in cases of which they were in charge, mail or deliver to the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which the birth occurred a notice stating

the date and place of the birth, giving the street number, if any, the number of the ward in a city and the family name. Failure to mail or deliver the said notice shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars for each offence. The notice required by this Section need not be given if the notice required by the following Section is given within forty-eight hours after the birth occurs.

Sect. 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after the birth of a child in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the City or Town, in which such child is born.

Sect. 8. A parent, keeper, superintendent or other person who is required by Section 6 to give or cause to be given notice of a birth or death, who neglects so to do for ten days after the time limited therefor, shall forfeit not more than five dollars for such offence.

Deaths Registered

<i>Date of Death</i>	Name	Age		
		Y.	M.	D.
Dec. 11, 1921	John O'Rourke	84	0	0
Jan. 13, 1922	——— Brooks	0	0	15
Jan. 15, 1922	William C. Peirce, Jr.	23	4	6
Jan. 22, 1922	James T. Laird	69	5	22
Feb. 10, 1922	Frances Augusta Biggs	72	5	2
Feb. 13, 1922	——— Pedersen	0	0	1
Mar. 5, 1922	Watson Tyler	80	2	0
Mar. 20, 1922	Still Born Corrigan	0	0	0
April 21, 1922	Ann Eliza Weston	93	3	28
June 14, 1922	Johannah Cunnert	79	6	25
May 12, 1922	Luther Parker Burrage	18	4	16
June 18, 1922	Still Born Campobasso	0	0	0
June 23, 1922	Sarah F. Codman	79	11	5
July 14, 1922	Ferdinand A. Wyman, Jr.	45	7	21
July 31, 1922	Still Born Marganella	0	0	0
Aug. 16, 1922	Laura Ann Sherman	89	5	20
Aug. 24, 1922	Mary Dickson	65	5	15
Sept. 3, 1922	John O'Hearn	0	4	10
Sept. 21, 1922	Martha Ann Ruth Jones	64	9	23
Oct. 5, 1922	Hulda A. Howes	76	10	0
Oct. 18, 1922	Mary E. Dana de Cordova	75	10	3
Nov. 26, 1922	Joa Pacewicz	62	0	0
Dec. 29, 1922	Harriet C. Richardson	91	3	16

Jury List for 1922

As Prepared by the Selectmen of Lincoln
JURY LIST FOR 1922

<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Occupation</i>
Adams, John	South Lincoln	Business Man
Bamforth, Fred J. D.	Lincoln	Farmer
Brooks, Lorenzo E.	Concord, R. D.	Farmer
Burgess, Edward St. C.	South Lincoln	Blacksmith
Coburn, Edward S.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Carlson, Benjamin E.	Lincoln	Farmer
Codman, Thomas N.	South Lincoln	Retired
Cousins, Harold S.	Lincoln	Farmer
Crook, Russel G.	South Lincoln	Sculptor
Cunningham, Frank H.	Concord, R. D.	Farmer
Davis, E. Russell	South Lincoln	Clerk
Davis, William H.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Dougherty, Matthew F.	Waltham, R. F. D.	Carpenter
Ellms, Charles W.	South Lincoln	Carpenter
Farrar, John F.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Gay, Arthur E.	South Lincoln	Clerk
Giles, Thomas L.	South Lincoln	Painter
Hamilton, D. Lincoln	Lincoln	Farmer
Mann, David W.	Lincoln	Professor
McHugh, John E.	Concord, R. F. D.	Farmer
Robus, William C.	Lincoln	Tel. Repairman
Stone, Edward M.	South Lincoln	Chauffeur
Tarbell, George G.	Lincoln	Farmer
Welch, Martin M.	South Lincoln	Farmer

Dogs Licensed in 1922

There have been 96 Dog Licenses issued to December 1, 1922, 73 Males, 20 Females, 3 Spayed Females for which the sum of \$232.80 has been paid to the County Treasurer.

There have been issued 24 Combination Hunter's Certificates, 14 Fisherman's Certificates, 11 Hunting and Trapping Certificates, 8 Trapper's Certificates, for which the sum of \$71.95 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game.

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

The Selectmen present the following report for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1922.

The Board was organized by the choice of Charles S. Smith, Chairman, and R. D. Ronaldson, Secretary.

Appointments

The following appointments have been made during the year:

Sealer of Weights and Measures, John J. Kelliher.

Forest Warden, John J. Kelliher.

Weigher of Coal, Hay and other Commodities, Elmer A. Rollins.

Inspector of Animals, Martin M. Welch.

Janitor of Public Buildings and Caretaker of Public Grounds, Edward Bannon.

Special Police, Herbert G. Farrar, Winslow A. Eaton, J. Redmond Hartwell, Isaac Langille, John Campbell, Wm. M. Hilliard, Frederick Hart, Wm. Craig, Harry Patterson, Louis Frazier.

District Nurse Committee, Mrs. Emma S. Eldridge, Mrs. Robert G. Loring, Mr. George G. Tarbell, Mr. Robert D. Donaldson.

The following table gives the appropriations made by the Town during the year 1922 and the appropriations recommended by the Board to be made at the next Annual Meeting:

	Appropriations for 1922	The Selectmen recommend the following appropriations for the ensuing year
For Schools,	\$20,500.00	\$20,500.00
Transportation of Children,	5,500.00	5,500.00
Support of Poor,	500.00	500.00
Highways and Bridges,	12,000.00	12,000.00
For Special Snow Work and Tractor,	.....	3,000.00
Station Road,	4,000.00	.....
South Great Road (taken from money in treasury),	7,500.00	7,500.00
Library and Dog Tax,	800.00	800.00
Cemeteries (from Cemetery Fund),	500.00	500.00
Board of Health,	500.00	500.00
Tree Warden,	3,500.00	3,500.00
Miscellaneous Expenses,	8,000.00	8,000.00
Hydrants and other Water Service,	2,400.00	2,400.00
Waltham Hospital Free Bed,	300.00	300.00
Street Lamps,	1,800.00	1,800.00
Fire Department,	1,000.00	500.00
District Nurse,	750.00	.....
Payment of Water Bonds (taken from Water Works income),	1,000.00	1,000.00
Water Works Sinking Fund (taken from Water Works income),	1,500.00	1,500.00

The construction of a first-class macadam road in the South part of the Town has been continued with State and County aid, as in the three previous years. New construction on the Walden Pond Road so-called has been continued from a point near St. Anne's Church to a point on the Codman Road to the intersection of the Station Road so-called. The construction carried on this year has cost a total of \$20,731.42—this expense has been divided pro rata between the State, the County and the Town. There is remaining for immediate construction, which will undoubtedly be carried on this year, a section of this road from the above named intersection to Bent's Corner so-called, and when this section is completed there will be a first-class macadam road from the Weston line to the Concord line via Walden Pond Road. It is not improbable that this plan and method of construction will be continued on the South Great Road so-called—this latter, of course, being dependent on the attitude of the State and County officials having to do with the matter.

The Board recommends an appropriation for special highway construction this year of the same amount as last year, namely, \$7,500, and the Board has the assurance that the State and County will contribute like amounts for this work.

Last year the Board recommended a special appropriation of \$4,000 for construction on the Station Road so-called from the Centre to Farnsworth Corner; no special outlay was made on this road during the year, but application was made to the County Commissioners early in the year to re-locate this road. The County Commissioners have completed this work with the exception of setting the bounds for the road as re-located, which will be done in the early Spring. The road for most of its distance is not in bad condition and it is not the intention of the Board to proceed with any special expenditure in connection with the road until the Water Board has replaced the present cement-lined pipe which traverses most of this road

with a 10-inch iron main—it would be folly to reconstruct the road before the work which the Water Board proposes doing shall have been finished.

In December the Public Works Department of the State furnished to the Town of Lincoln one 3-ton Packard truck with a dump body and snow plow. While this is and remains the property of the Commonwealth, it can be used by the Town as freely as though the Town owned it. This will be an addition to the equipment that the Town has, which will at times be exceedingly useful. The Town has bought since the first of January a 3-ton Cleveland tractor with snow plow attachments, exactly the same type as one owned privately, which has been used successfully in breaking snow roads this winter. This was bought from the Town of Concord and is in perfect condition and at a considerable discount from the price of a new equipment and will be useful both for breaking snow roads and also may be used, in case the electricity which runs the pumps at the Pumping Station at any time goes out, for power with which to operate the pumps. It is proposed to keep this equipment at the Pumping Station and the truck and attachments will be kept with the other equipment of the Highway Department.

A special appropriation was made at the last Annual Meeting, and included in the appropriation for Miscellaneous Expenses, for repairs on the South School so-called, and also on the Town Hall. The work on the South School has been completed, a new heating plant has been installed and the building otherwise put in first-class condition, and apparently it is now in as good condition as when first constructed thirty years ago. With respect to the Town Hall, it did not seem wise to proceed with improvements in the interior of the Hall, especially the painting of the walls, renewing of the curtains and other fixtures, until the outside should have been put in first-class condition. This, in respect to the roof, has been

accomplished, but there are still some other important outside repairs to be completed, and when these are done it is the intention of the Board to have the interior put in first-class condition. It is expected that this can be done early this year, it is not possible to do this work when the Hall is continually in use as it has been most of the time during the Winter. The increase in the appropriation asked for this year for Miscellaneous Expenses is partially to provide funds for the above purposes.

At the last Annual Meeting the Town chose a Committee and voted authority to transfer to the First Parish all of its interest in the land West of Bedford Road if simultaneously the First Parish, by its authorized Committee, would transfer to the Town all of its interest in the land East of the above-named road. The Committee has performed the duties imposed on it and deeds have been passed to the First Parish and deeds have been passed by the First Parish Committee to the Town, which deeds have been deposited with the Registrar of Deeds for record and are as follows:

WHEREAS, at a meeting of the First Parish of Lincoln, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, held on February 6th, 1922, it was duly voted "That the Parish Committee be a Committee to confer with the representatives of the Town, to determine, if possible, the relative interests of the Town and Parish in the 'Common' so-called," and it was then also voted "If a determination of the interests can be agreed on, then the Parish Committee be authorized to execute conveyance to the Town in the name of the Parish, of the land East of the road traversing North and South through the property, if simultaneously the Town, by its Selectmen or others duly authorized, execute in the name of the Town conveyance of any interest the Town may have in the land West of the above-mentioned road," attested copies of which votes are hereto annexed; and whereas, the undersigned, constituting the said Parish Committee have conferred with the duly authorized representatives of the Town of Lincoln in regard to the subject matter of the said votes, and in

agreement with them have determined the relative interests of the Parish and Town in the said "Common," NOW THEREFORE, in conformity with such determination and in the exercise of the powers conferred upon us, and in consideration of the execution and simultaneous delivery in the name and on behalf of the said Town by its representatives of an instrument of tenor similar to these presents relating to that part of the said "Common" lying west of the road referred to in the second of the said votes, we, the said Parish Committee, in the name and on behalf of the said First Parish of Lincoln, do hereby remise, release and forever quitclaim unto the Town of Lincoln all right, title and interest which the said Parish may have in and to that portion of the said "Common" which lies easterly of the said road and bounded and described as follows: Westerly by the said road through the "Common"; Northerly by land of Annie M. Wilkins; Easterly by the burial ground and the tombs, and by the highway leading from Lexington to Lincoln; being the premises whereon is located the Town Hall, and to be and to remain devoted to the public uses of the said Town. See deed of Edward Flint to Benjamin Brown and others, dated October 14, 1745, Precinct Records 16; deed of Benjamin Brown and others to the Precinct set off from Concord, Lexington and Weston dated June 22, 1747, 1 Precinct Records 15; 1 Town Records of Lincoln, 130, 291, 350-355, 383, 389; II *Ibid* 14, 23, 24, 26; and also Proceedings in the Land Court on the Petition of the Inhabitants of the Town of Lincoln entered July 18, 1912, case numbered 3938 on the docket of the said Court, and the Decree thereon entered September 16, 1915.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, Charles S. Smith, Robert D. Donaldson and William H. Sherman, constituting the Parish Committee of the said First Parish of Lincoln, hereto set the name of the said First Parish and affix our common seal on this 16th day of January, 1923.

FIRST PARISH OF LINCOLN,
 CHARLES S. SMITH,
 ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
 WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,
Parish Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

January 16, 1923.

Then personally appeared the above-named Charles S. Smith and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be the free act and deed of the First Parish of Lincoln.

Before me,

FRANK E. ALTMILLER,
Notary Public.

EXTRACT FROM RECORDS FIRST PARISH OF
LINCOLN.

I hereby certify that at a meeting of the Parish duly called and held on February 6th, 1922 it was

VOTED: That the Parish Committee be a committee to confer with representatives of the Town to determine, if possible, the relative interests of the Town and Parish in the "Common," so-called.

VOTED: If a determination of the interests can be agreed on, that the Parish Committee be authorized to execute conveyance to the Town, in the name of the Parish, of the land East of the road traversing North and South through the property, if simultaneously the Town, by its Selectmen or others duly authorized, execute in the name of the Town conveyance of any interest the Town may have in land West of the above-mentioned road.

EPHRAIM B. FLINT,
Clerk of said Parish.

WHEREAS, at a meeting of the Town of Lincoln, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, held on March 6th, 1922 it was voted "That the Town choose a committee consisting of Edward F. Flint, George G. Tarbell and C. Lee Todd to confer with the Prudential Committee of the First Parish to determine the relative interests of the

Town in the 'Common,' with authority to prepare and execute in he name of the Town the proper deeds for finally adjusting the matter," an attested copy of which vote is hereto annexed; and whereas, the undersigned, constituting the Committee chosen by the Town under the said vote, have conferred with the Parish Committee referred to in the said vote as the "Prudential Committee" of the First Parish in regard to subject matter of the said vote, and in agreement with the said Parish Committee have determined the relative interests of the Town and Parish in the said "Common," NOW THEREFORE, in conformity with such determination and in the exercise of the powers conferred upon us and in consideration of the execution and simultaneous delivery in the name and on behalf of the said First Parish by the said Parish Committee of an instrument of tenor similar to these presents relating to that part of the said "Common" lying east of the road, running in a northerly and southerly direction through the said "Common," we, the said Committee chosen by the Town at the said meeting, in the name and on behalf of the Town of Lincoln, do hereby remise, release and forever quitclaim unto the said First Parish of Lincoln all right, title and interest which the said Town may have in and to that portion of the said "Common" which lies westerly of the said road and bounded and described as follows: Easterly by the said road through the "Common"; Westerly, by land formerly of James L. Chapin; and Northerly by land of Amos Little, formerly of Helen V. V. Warren; being the premises whereon is located the First Parish Church and to be and to remain devoted to the Parochial uses of the said Parish. See deed of Edward Flint to Benjamin Brown and others, dated October 14, 1745, Precinct Records 16; deed of Benjamin Brown and others to the Precinct set off from Concord, Lexington and Weston dated June 22, 1747, 1 Precinct Records 15; I Town Records of Lincoln, 130, 291, 350-355, 383, 389; II *Ibid* 14, 23, 24, 26; and also Proceedings in the Land Court on the Petition of the Inhabitants of the Town of Lincoln entered July 18, 1912, case numbered 3938 on the docket of the said Court, and the Decree thereon entered September 16, 1915.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, Edward F. Flint, George G. Tarbell and C. Lee Todd, constituting the said Committee of the Town of Lincoln, hereto set the name of the said Town.

and have caused its municipal seal to be affixed on this 9th day of January, 1923.

TOWN OF LINCOLN,

By EDWARD F. FLINT,
GEORGE G. TARBELL,
C. LEE TODD,

Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

January 9, 1923.

Then personally appeared the above-named George G. Tarbell and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be the free act and deed of the Town of Lincoln.

Before me,

WILLIAM FERGUSON,
Notary Public.

EXTRACT FROM RECORDS OF THE TOWN OF LINCOLN.

I hereby certify that at a Town Meeting duly called and held on March 6th, 1922, under Article 11 in the Warrant for said meeting which was: To see if the Town will appoint a committee to confer with the Prudential Committee of the First Parish to determine, if possible, the relative interests of the Town and Parish in the "Common" (so-called), or take any action in relation to the matter, it was moved as follows: "It is moved that the Town choose a committee consisting of Edward F. Flint, George G. Tarbell and C. Lee Todd to confer with the Prudential Committee of the First Parish to determine the relative interests of the Town in the Common, with authority to prepare and execute in the name of the Town the proper deeds for finally adjusting the matter."

And it further appears by said records that said motion was duly voted and carried.

ATTEST:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk of the Town of Lincoln.

Thus has been settled a matter which for nearly a century has been the source of trouble and contention at various times.

The Selectmen wish here to remind all officers of the Town, who are in the habit of making reports to be printed in the Annual Town Report, that it is their duty as early after the 1st of January as possible to forward their report to the Selectmen for publication in the Town Report. The delay of any officer or committee in making his report necessarily delays the publication of the Report and requires unusual and unnecessary effort on the part of the Selectmen in arranging the various reports for publication. Will all officers and committees kindly realize this situation and act accordingly.

Unfortunately there has been in the past and it has continued up to the present the practice of postponing the rendering of bills against the Town far beyond the date when they should have been presented. This, as all know, is not a good practice either for the Town or for any individual, and the Selectmen request that all parties having dealings with the Town and having charges against the Town should present their bills promptly. In no case should bills for the calendar year be carried forward into the succeeding year. If this practice of delay in rendering bills continues or becomes more prevalent it will not be possible for the Selectmen to render a report of the Town's financial condition which will be at all reliable.

Finances

All of the original issue of \$55,000 of Schoolhouse bonds have been retired up to January 1st, 1923, except \$6,000. Funds are in the hands of the Sinking and Trust Fund Commissioners to retire these bonds as soon as they become due.

The financial condition of the Town otherwise as on January 1, 1923, is as follows:

The outstanding bonded indebtedness on account of the Water Works is, as reported by the Treasurer, \$63,000; there is available in the Sinking Fund, to retire the bonds at maturity, securities and cash of the value of \$35,312.13, this, together with the reported uncollected water bills and current cash on

hand of \$3,424.49, leaves a net indebtedness of \$24,263.38. This is by far the most favorable condition that the Water Department has ever reported. The Water Department, however, is indebted to the Town Treasury on account of money raised by taxes some years since for \$4,712.00.

The Treasurer's report shows the balance in the treasury on January 1st, 1923, \$29,644.77. The Collector reports uncollected taxes of January 1st of \$8,731.96, making the total available for the treasury \$38,376.73. This most unusual statement of the financial condition of the Town is accounted for not by any increase in the amount of the taxes received from the State on account of Income Taxes collected, as that item is some \$3,000 less than that paid in the previous year, but the Town has received from the State on account of National Bank taxes collected the largely increased amount of more than \$20,000. However, as this tax is contested by some of the National Banks in the Courts and as no ultimate decision in connection with the matter has been reached by the Courts, it is not improbable that a large part of this amount of \$20,000 may have to be returned by the Town of Lincoln to the State; it is, therefore, unwise for the Town to count on it as an actual balance which can be used as the Town directs. If the Courts decide that it is legitimate for the State to collect it, then the Town may safely appropriate this money. Aside from this contingent sum, however, the financial condition is as follows: available in the treasury approximately \$9,000.00 and uncollected taxes of \$8,731.96, or a total available of approximately \$17,731.96.

The money available in the Town treasury for the Lincoln cemeteries is, as reported by the Town Treasurer, \$1,026.44.

The business of the Town, as it has been conducted by the various officers and departments of the Town, is embodied in their printed reports.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. SMITH,

JOHN F. FARRAR,

ROBERT D. DONALDSON,

Selectmen of Lincoln.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1922:

The condition of the roads last spring was about the same as the previous year. In January and February there was very little snow work to do. In March, the gravel roads were scraped, and the ruts filled in with crushed stone; mudholes and washouts on some of the crossroads were filled in, and the roads oiled and put in good condition for the season.

The tar surfaced roads were patched with peastone and Tarvia K. P., followed with an application of Tarvia B and sand.

The new work done on the Codman road by the State, County, and Town, took a little over five months. Approximately 4,000 was built, from 18 ft. to 20 ft. wide, costing about \$21,000. The expenditures on this road were approximately as follows:

Teams and labor,	\$7,900.00
Gravel and stone,	8,450.00
Oil and Tarvia,	3,200.00
Coal and wood,	250.00
Culvert Pipe,	50.00
Roller man,	850.00
	<hr/> \$20,700.00

Also, this department has done work for the Moth Department, in addition to carting ashes away from the Town Hall, Library, and Schoolhouses.

The following is a partial list of what the men and teams have done throughout the year:

JANUARY

Most of this month was spent chopping wood and cleaning up brush.

FEBRUARY

There was snow work to be done in this month, and any spare time was used in teaming sand for covering Tarvia and Oil.

MARCH

The first part of this month was spent teaming sand; the balance in putting gravel on the road near Mr. Higginson's farm, and filling in the ruts with crushed stone.

APRIL

Practically the entire time was spent in scraping the roads, filling the ruts with crushed stone, and patching the tar-surfaced roads.

MAY and JUNE

During these months, the work on patching the roads was finished, tarvia and sand put on the tar-surfaced roads, most of the gravel roads oiled, work done for the Moth Department, and tumbled-down fencing in different parts of the town replaced by new.

JULY to DECEMBER

Practically all of the time from July to the middle of December was spent on the Codman road; the balance of December in teaming sand and breaking out the snow-filled roads.

The money expended this year for maintenance of the Highway is approximately as follows:

Hay, Grain, and Straw,	\$1,300.00
Stone, gravel, and sand,	1,500.00
Tarvia and Oil,	4,500.00
Supplies,	650.00
Blacksmith,	900.00
Rent,	425.00
Repairs,	200.00
Water, light, and telephone,	60.00
Snow work,	200.00
Charges for doctors,	20.00
Superintendent's salary, labor, etc.,	5,145.00
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Total,	\$14,900.00
Amount of credits due the Highway Department,	3,270.00
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Total spent for maintenance and upkeep of

Highway Department for year, approximately, \$11,630.00

I have to report the loss of a horse during the year, as well as the disposition of another which was unfit for the work. This will necessitate buying a pair of horses this spring to carry on the work to advantage; otherwise, the condition of the Highway Department is about the same as last year.

The guide boards are in fair condition, but it will be necessary to repair and repaint some of them the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,

Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF LINCOLN TOWN NURSE

To the Selectmen of Lincoln:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit the following report of the Committee appointed by you to direct the work of the Lincoln Town Nurse.

The work of the District Nurse has been carried on for another year under Miss Carolyn Viets with continued success, and the results have been as follows: From January 1st, 1922 to January 1st, 1923, bedside care, 106; calls for treatment, 261; night calls, 6; confinement cases, 5; school inspection, 168; follow-up school work, 167; children taken to the Tonsil, Adenoid, and Eye Clinics, 10; supervision of the Dental and Underweight Clinics held in Lincoln, visits to the Sudbury Schools, 27½ days.

The total amount of running expenses for the year has been \$163.62, while fees collected amount to \$165.60, leaving a balance of \$1.98.

There has been an average amount of sickness in Lincoln, but no marked epidemics. There were several cases of chicken-pox in the lower school, but its further spread was promptly arrested. An important aspect of the nurse's work is in the school where cases of illness are promptly followed up. Under her care, the children are taught personal hygiene; also defects of the eyes, ears, throat, and underweight are noted and reported at once to the School Physician for treatment and advice. The work of the nurse has increased during the year both in variety and usefulness. Although the work in Lincoln is apparently increasing, Miss Viets will still be able for a

time to carry on the work in the Sudbury Schools, from which part of her salary is obtained.

The Committee is indebted again this year to the Lincoln Branch of the Red Cross for the use of the nurse's car, and the upkeep of the car.

The second year of the experiment of this work in Lincoln in the opinion of the Committee clearly shows the need and importance of a Public Health Nurse, and the Committee sincerely hopes the Town will vote to continue the work.

Respectfully submitted,

SUSAN M. LORING,

Chairman of the Committee on the District Nurse

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1922

The following cases of contagious diseases have been reported during the year :

- 7 cases of Chicken Pox.
- 1 case of Measles.
- 2 cases of Tuberculosis.
- 1 case of Scarlet Fever.
- 16 cases of Influenza.
- 2 cases of Pneumonia.
- 1 case of Typhoid.

MARTIN M. WELCH,
R. D. DONALDSON,
GEO. G. TARBELL,

Members Board of Health.

REPORT OF ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED

To the Board of Health:

I herewith submit the following report of animals slaughtered and inspected for the year ending December 31, 1922:

Pigs,	32
Calves,	16
Cattle,	1
Pigs condemned,	0
Calves condemned,	0
Cattle condemned,	0

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. KELLIHER,

Inspector of Slaughtering.

COMMITTEE ON THE HOUSING OF THE ANIMALS AND EQUIPMENT OF THE TOWN

The Committee appointed at the Annual Town Meeting in March 1922 to determine the best method of procedure for the Town to follow in the housing of the animals and equipment of the Town, reports as follows:

We find upon investigation that the Town is now paying the sum of \$500 yearly for the use of part of the Pickle Factory, so-called. The horses and all of the Highway and Moth Department equipment are well and conveniently housed. The location is central and it seems to the Committee that the cost to the Town is not incommensurate with the value received. Therefore, we recommend that the Town make no change in the present arrangements.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

GEORGE G. TARBELL,

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,

ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY, JR.,

Committee.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby submit a report of all the money paid out by the Town Treasurer by order of the Selectmen.

Mr. Todd has shown me all securities and investments held by him.

JAMES W. LENNON,
Auditor.

SCHOOLS

Payments

Town Treasurer, Teachers' Salary, including Janitor's Services	\$12,474.00
Mass. Teachers Retirement Fund, Retirement Fund	451.00
Boston & Maine R. R., Student Tickets	1,032.86
City of Boston, Tuition	375.86
City of Waltham, Tuition	407.50
City of Somerville, Tuition	30.76
Town of Concord, Tuition	4,028.00
Town of Lexington, Tuition	100.00
Town of Weston, Tuition	88.82
Doherty's Garage, Transportation of Children	1,983.80
Thomas J. Dee, Transportation of Children	882.50
William Conway, Transportation of Children	185.00

John Nelson, Transportation of Children	79.20
Michael Connors, Transportation of Children	26.19
Town Treasurer, Account of District Nurse	333.33
Town of Lincoln, Services of Nurse	150.00
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	18.03
American R. R. Express Co., Express	14.02
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Services	33.00
David Farquhar, Transportation of Children	35.00
Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Services of Light	38.49
Lincoln Water Commissioners, Water	75.50
Waltham Coal Co., Coal	537.76
Charles S. Smith, Coal	402.12
William Harding, Wood	60.00
William Campbell, Repairs on Clock	10.00
H. S. Howe, Repairs on Clock	1.50
Thomas J. McGann, Repairs on Barge	20.50
George Cunningham, Sawing Wood	5.00
Henry Grimwood, Filing Saws	5.00
A. R. McLeod, Electrical Work	2.10
Lena E. Bamforth, Caning Chairs	4.75
Charles H. Morss, Expenses	24.80
H. A. Wood, M.D., Professional Services and Supplies	203.40
Edward Graf, Labor on Grounds	6.50
Edith Farrar, Taking School Census	15.00
Charles Woodhull, Care of Piano	13.00
Doherty's Garage, Delivering Supplies	27.68
Delicate Children Association, Supplies	3.10
L. E. Knott & Co., Supplies	11.35
Middlesex County, House of Correction, Supplies	.24
Oliver Ditson, Supplies	5.40
Reformatory for Women, Supplies	11.22
C. H. Conglon, Supplies	14.85
Harris & Griffin, Supplies	20.81
Lexington Lumber Co., Supplies	123.78

American Book Co., Supplies	89.90
Rollins Bros., Supplies	38.57
The Bruce Publishing Co., Supplies	2.50
Mass. State Prison, Supplies	23.25
Kenny Bros. & Wolkins, Supplies	475.47
Edward E. Babb & Co., Supplies	175.96
Ginn & Company, Supplies	90.16
Mason Young & Co., Supplies	65.41
Milton Bradley & Co., Supplies	74.33
Jordan Marsh Co., Supplies	39.21
George Johnson, Supplies	40.00
Current Events, Supplies	15.00
A. G. Spaulding, Supplies	24.60
Houghton Mifflin Co., Supplies	19.72
A. N. Palmer Co., Supplies	8.03
Library Bureau, Supplies	1.40
The McMillan Co., Supplies	8.93
D. Lippleton Co., Supplies	16.00
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co., Supplies	38.41
Andrews Paper Co., Supplies	9.75
Chandler & Barber Co., Supplies	24.20
Ryan & Burke, Supplies	5.07
R. D. Donaldson, Labor and Material, 1918-19-20-21	1,554.30
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	\$27,212.14

HIGHWAYS

Payments

William H. Sherman, Supt. Labor on Highways	\$900.50
William H. Sherman, Supplies	8.40
William H. Ryan, Labor	550.00

Thomas F. Coan, Labor	558.75
Timothy J. Crowley, Labor	549.00
Joseph E. Mahan, Labor	546.75
Patrick Craven, Labor	435.00
Martin J. Rooney, Labor	302.30
Minot Boyce, Labor	284.75
John W. Rooney, Sr., Labor	254.75
John W. Rooney, Jr., Labor	67.50
George Monnella, Labor	116.15
John J. Connair, Labor	11.35
Isaac N. MacRae, Labor	30.90
Langille Bros., Labor	17.35
Sweeney Truck Co., Labor with Truck	130.00
George E. Cunningham, Labor on Snow	24.00
L. E. Brooks, Labor on Snow	8.00
Ralph Butcher, Labor on Snow	21.00
F. J. D. Bamforth, Labor with Team	190.50
Frank H. Cunningham, Labor with Team	8.00
A. D. Moreau, Labor and Supplies	42.06
A. M. McLeod, Electrical Work	12.00
F. T. McGlinchey, Professional Services	30.00
George Titcomb, Professional Services	4.00
John F. Farrar, Hay	50.70
E. A. Sherman, Standing Grass	390.00
Lincoln Water Commissioners, Water	37.00
George Wheeler, Wood	12.50
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	18.03
Department of Public Works, Registration of Truck	30.00
D. McAskill, Shoeing and Repairing	225.50
Burgess Garage, Shoeing and Repairing	768.95
Burgess Garage, Labor on Truck	81.15
General Crushed Stone Co., Trucking	1,527.65
B. W. Brown Grain Co., Grain	879.46
Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Service of Light	9.18
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	24.51

American R. R. Express Co., Express	2.95
Estella Brooks, Rent of Land for Crusher	25.00
Charles S. Smith, Rent of Stable	400.00
Thomas F. Coan, Care of Horses	330.00
George Hill, Gravel	13.50
Annie Morrissey, Gravel	39.00
Barrett Mfg. Co., Supplies	2,669.84
The Texas Company, Supplies	1,289.29
Standard Oil Co., Supplies	360.75
New England Road Machine Co., Supplies	240.50
Wilson Lumber Co., Supplies	144.36
Peter Perry, Supplies	96.25
J. W. Milbury, Supplies	43.25
Henry A. Grimwood, Supplies	29.77
B. B. McKinn Co., Supplies	29.50
Joseph Breck & Sons, Supplies	15.00
Town of Concord, Supplies	4.26
Charles H. Clark, Supplies	4.00
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	\$14,894.86

WATER

Payments

James T. Laird, Services	\$120.00
John J. Kelliher, Services	400.00
First Nat'l Bank, Bonds due Sept. 1st	500.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Sept. 1st	645.00
Commonwealth of Mass. Reg'd. Coupons, due Sept. 1st	52.50
First Nat'l Bank, Bond due Sept. 1st	500.00
Commonwealth of Mass. Coupons, due Mar. 1st	52.50

First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Mar. 1st	645.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons, due May 1st	87.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons, due June 1st	175.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons, due Nov. 1st	87.50
First Nat'l Bank, Interest on Bonds	175.00
Sinking & Trust Fund Commr's, Sinking Fund	1,500.00
Sinking & Trust Fund Commr's, Interest on Loan	90.86
Commonwealth of Mass., Interest on \$13,000.00	227.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Interest on Reg'd Bonds	227.50
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Power and Light	1,666.65
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Service of Telephone	22.59
Leonard Robinson, Services	20.00
Sumner Smith, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
Robert Hunter, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	.72
American R. R. Express Co., Express	4.93
H. J. Walcott, M.D., Professional Services	15.00
Whitman & Howard, Services	168.13
Thomas L. Giles, Collecting Water Bills and Postage	209.64
Lincoln Highway Department, Crushed Stone	31.50
Doherty's Garage, Delivering Supplies	3.72
John J. Kelliher, Cash Paid for Supplies	4.00
Rollins Bros., Supplies	4.08
Chapman Valve Co., Supplies	80.19
Chadwick Boston Lead Co., Supplies	39.67
Barnes-Pope Electric Co., Supplies	33.54
Raney Pump Co., Supplies	20.31
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., Supplies	20.05
Walworth Mfg. Co., Supplies	16.05
Wadsworth Howland, Supplies	15.72
Davis & Farnum Co., Supplies	12.53
Houghton Gorney Co., Supplies	15.00
Builders Iron Foundry, Supplies	10.17
Sumner Smith, Supplies	9.90

Isaac N. MacRae, Labor and Supplies	268.18
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor and Supplies	1.00
Burgess Garage, Repairs and Supplies	7.75
Sam Demas, Labor	37.00
D. McAskill, Labor	5.00
John Morrissey, Labor	6.00
Daniel Holman, Labor	6.50
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	\$8,391.38

MOTHS

Payments

John J. Kelliher, Services as Superintendent	\$1,200.00
Charles S. Smith, Rent for Moth Department	100.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Services of Telephone	23.63
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	4.66
American R. R. Express Co., Express	1.79
Standard Oil Co., Supplies	210.25
Glidden Co., Supplies	27.00
Frost Insecticide Co., Supplies	12.80
Doherty's Garage, Supplies	10.28
Rollins Bros., Supplies	9.09
Edward Bannon, Labor	868.00
James Shea, Labor	503.75
William Costello, Labor	432.25
Highway Department, Labor	254.00
Joseph Eaton, Labor	238.88
John J. Connair, Labor	171.50
Henry Butcher, Labor	147.00
Byron Lunt, Labor	80.50
Langille Bros., Labor	3.70
Isaac N. MacRae, Labor	2.59
D. MacAskill, Labor	2.50
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	\$4,304.17

MISCELLANEOUS

Payments

Edward Bannon, Care of Public Buildings and Grounds	\$720.00
Charles Woodhull, Piano Tuning	15.00
John J. Kelliher, Services as Constable	300.00
Geo. Cunningham, Constable, 1920, 1921	50.00
L. E. Brooks, Special Police, 1920	25.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Special Police	20.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services at Fires	25.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Assessor	50.00
William H. Sherman, Services as Assessor	60.00
William C. Peirce, Services as Assessor	50.00
William C. Peirce, Clerical Work	50.00
William C. Peirce, Services as Town Clerk	125.00
William C. Peirce, Postage	6.26
William C. Peirce, Use of Truck, May 30th	5.00
William C. Peirce, Expenses for Bugler, May 30th	2.00
Town of Concord, Town Signs	14.52
Arthur Hosmer, Signs at Lake Walden	27.85
C. S. Smith, Selectman, Overseer, Registrar and Postage	206.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Selectman	200.00
John F. Farrar, Selectman	200.00
C. Lee Todd, Services as Town Treasurer	300.00
Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Light	111.29
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Services	51.00
Lincoln Water Commissioners, Water	50.00
Boston & Maine R. R., Services at Baker Bridge	12.20
Thomas J. Dee, Services at Elections	18.00
Harold S. Cousins, Services at Elections	10.00

Winslow Eaton, Services at Election	5.00
Edward Stone, Services at Election	5.00
Miss Jane Bent, Services at Elections	15.00
Thomas L. Giles, Services at Elections	7.00
George Tarbell, Services at Elections	7.00
Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr., Services at Election	5.00
Harriet Peirce, Services at Elections	8.00
American R. R. Express Co., Express	3.20
Murdock McLeod, Electrical Work at Town Hall	24.00
F. J. D. Bamforth, Sawing Wood	11.25
George Cunningham, Sawing Wood	19.50
Martin M. Welch, Inspecting Cattle	61.62
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor and Supplies	574.58
Henry Butcher, Labor	6.50
Carl Cunnert, Labor	9.75
J. W. Milbury, Labor	5.00
Macone Bros., Labor on Ford Car	58.15
Edward Graf, Labor at School Grounds, July 4th	9.25
King & Company, Labor on Truck	223.00
Isaac N. MacRae, Labor at Town Hall	23.26
Isaac N. MacRae, Labor at South School	901.12
Isaac N. MacRae, Fighting Fires	16.50
John E. McHugh, Fighting Fires	7.50
Dennis Doherty, Fighting Fires	15.00
Joseph Eaton, Fighting Fires	5.50
Ralph Butcher, Fighting Fires	4.25
William C. Robus, Fighting Fires	6.00
H. A. Burgess, Fighting Fires	14.00
Thomas J. Dee, Fighting Fires	37.35
Thomas L. Giles, Balance, Collecting Taxes, 1919	158.25
Thomas L. Giles, Postage and Supplies	6.84
Eugene Jose, Fighting Fires	2.50
Doherty's Garage, Labor and Supplies	138.64
Doherty's Garage, Auto Hire, Police Dept.	39.57
Commonwealth of Mass., Registering Town Note	2.00

C. Lee Todd, Supplies	12.82
La France Co., Supplies	1.62
John J. Kelliher, Expenses for Supplies	20.00
H. S. Cousins, Services at Fires and Damages Received	257.00
W. L. Gurley, Supplies	4.60
Rollins Bros., Supplies	8.85
Daniels Printing Co., Printing	599.40
Waltham Printing Co., Printing	2.25
Thomas Groom Co., Printing	5.61
P. B. Murphy, Printing	1.85
James W. Lennon, Services as Auditor	125.00
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	\$6,399.14

STREET LIGHTS

Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Services for January	\$130.87
Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Services for February	153.98
Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Services for March	152.75
Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Services for April	150.66
Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Services for May	136.23
Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Services for June	135.24
Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Services for July	135.11
Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Services for August	130.46
Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Services for September	141.35
Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Services for October	153.47
Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Services for November	163.17
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	\$1,583.29

LINCOLN LIBRARY

John F. Farrar, Treas., Return of Dog Tax, 1921	\$251.29
John F. Farrar, Treas., Appropriation	800.00
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	\$1,051.29

PAYMENT OF BORROWED MONEY

Payment	
First Nat'l. Bank, Payment of Note	\$20,000.00

CEMETERY

Payments	
Lincoln Water Works, Water Service	\$20.00
Thomas W. Scott, Painting	10.25
Rollins Bros., Supplies	15.35
Martin & Grady, Labor	143.00
Fritz Cunnert, Labor	138.18
Domnick Campabasso, Labor	71.50
Silva Rougaris, Labor	26.00
Joseph Johanson, Labor	9.75
John Ripley, Labor	111.93
Herbert L. Clark, Labor	3.90
James Milbury, Labor	6.15
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	\$556.01

HIGHWAY SPECIAL

Payments

W. H. Sherman, Supt. Labor	\$792.00
W. H. Sherman, Expenses	97.50
Lincoln Highway Department, Labor	2,047.50
Roller Man, Labor	720.00
Stone Spreader, Labor	381.00
F. J. D. Bamforth, Labor with Team	368.00
John F. Farrar, Services	550.00
George Monnella, Labor	483.50
William Ryan, Labor	463.00
Joseph Mahan, Labor	457.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	455.00
Timothy J. Crowley, Labor	434.00
John W. Rooney, Sr., Labor	411.50
Minot Boyce, Labor	353.50
John W. Rooney, Jr., Labor	270.00
Martin J. Rooney, Labor	250.00
Charles Conlon, Labor	140.00
Patrick Craven, Labor	50.00
Ellworth Rice, Labor	17.50
Thomas L. Giles, Labor	3.50
Transportation of Men from Reading	118.00
James Baker, Wood	20.00
James B. Wood & Son, Coal	193.20
Carrie Sherman, Gravel	264.00
John A. Burgess, Gravel	50.00
General Crushed Stone Co., Trucking	8,119.23
Standard Oil Co., Supplies	2,730.00
Texas Company, Supplies	293.88

Abel F. Stevens, Supplies	115.56
Wilson Lumber Co., Supplies	23.20
Robinson Auto Corporation, Supplies	12.00
Burgess Garage, Supplies and Labor	67.85
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	\$20,731.42

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Payments

Thomas J. Dee, Rent of Hose-house, 1921	\$15.00
Thomas J. Dee, Care of Hose-house	20.00
Thomas J. Dee, Storing Truck, 1922	42.00
Thomas J. Dee, Rent of Hose-house	17.50
Calvin W. Childs, Ford Truck	553.00
American R. R. Express Co., Express	.74
Doherty's Garage, Labor, Driving Truck and Supplies	331.39
I. N. MacRae, Labor and Supplies	246.31
J. W. Milbury, Supplies	116.16
American La Franc Fire Engine Co., Supplies	93.75
Badger Fire Extinguisher Co., Supplies	84.00
Burgess Garage, Supplies	69.50
H. LaRose & Son, Supplies	9.15
C. O. Sargent, Supplies	2.16
Whitney Fire Service, Supplies	5.63
Langille Bros., Supplies	4.20
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	\$1,610.49

HYDRANTS AND OTHER WATER SERVICES

 Payments

Lincoln Water Commrs., 124 Hydrants	\$1,860.00
Lincoln Water Commrs., Watering Troughs	572.00
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	\$2,432.00

DISTRICT NURSE

 Payments

Miss C. W. Viets, Services from Dec. 1921—Jan. 1, 1923	\$1,562.50
Miss C. W. Viets, Expenses to Dec. 1, 1922	166.85
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Services to Sept. 1, 1922	22.75
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	\$1,752.10

INTEREST ACCOUNT

 Payments

First National Bank, Discount on Note \$20,000	\$359.97
First National Bank, Interest on Borrowed Money	6.94
Sinking Fund Commrs., Interest on Money	40.00
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	\$406.91

WALTHAM HOSPITAL

 Payments

Waltham Hospital, Appropriation	\$300.00
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SUPPORT OF POOR AND MOTHER'S AID

 Payments

Department of Public Welfare, Care of Andrew Kilfoye	\$364.00
Agnes Gilbert, Mother's Aid	72.00
Sarah Mulligan, Mother's Aid	140.00
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	\$576.00

BOARD OF HEALTH

 Payments

John F. Farrar, Cleaning Watering Troughs	\$5.00
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RECAPITULATION

--- Payments

Schools	\$27,212.14
Highway Special	20,731.42
Payment Borrowed Money	20,000.00
Highways	14,894.86
Water	8,391.38
Hydrants and Other Water Services	2,432.00
Miscellaneous	6,399.14
Moth Department	4,304.17
District Nurse	1,752.10
Fire Department	1,610.49
Street Lights	1,583.29
Lincoln Library	1,051.29
Mother's Aid and Support of Poor	576.00
Cemetery	556.01
Interest	406.91
Waltham Hospital	300.00
Board of Health	5.00
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	\$112,206.20

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING AND TRUST FUNDS

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

WATER WORKS SINKING FUND

1922	<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance	\$3,467.88
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s of 1932	105.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s of 1934	175.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s (Serial)	40.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s of 1936	560.00
	\$500. Town of Lincoln Serial 4s due	500.00
	Cash, C. L. Todd, Treasurer Town of Lincoln	1,500.00
	Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1928	127.50
	Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1938	63.75
	Interest on Deposit	211.56
	Interest on Lincoln Water Works Loan	61.44
	Loan Paid by Lincoln Water Works	1,500.00
		<u>\$8,312.13</u>

1922	<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 31	Balance	<u>\$8,312.13</u>

The Fund is invested as follows:

- \$ 500 Town of Lincoln 4s, Serial Bonds, due 1912 to 1923.
- \$14,000 Town of Lincoln 4s, due September, 1936.
- \$3,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due September, 1932.
- \$3,000 U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1928.
- \$1,500 U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1938.
- \$5,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due November, 1934.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

FUND FOR PURCHASE OF SCHOOLHOUSE BONDS

1922		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$11,282.08
		Loan to Town of Lincoln	11,000.00
		Interest	381.10
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			\$22,663.18
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1922		<i>Cr.</i>	
Jan.	1	\$3,000. Schoolhouse Bonds due	\$3,000.00
		Coupons, Schoolhouse Bonds, January 1	180.00
July	1	Coupons, Schoolhouse Bonds, July 1	120.00
		Loan paid by Town of Lincoln	11,000.00
Dec.	31	Balance	8,363.18
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			\$22,663.18
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Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE G. TARBELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1922

Dr.

Jan.	1.	Balance	\$31.76
		Dividends, West End St. Ry. Co. common	3.50
		Dividends, American Telephone & Telegraph Co.	36.00
		Dividends, West End St. Ry. Co. preferred	54.00
		Coupons, Anglo-American Oil Corp'n, 7½s	37.50
		Sale, 4 Amtrican Tel. & Tel. Co. rights	14.03
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			\$176.79
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1922

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Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$114.29
		1 share West End St. Ry. Co. -st preferred	62.50
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			\$176.79
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The Fund is invested as follows:

- 8 shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "B."
- 7 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company first preferred.
- 8 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co.
- 4 shares Ameircan Telephone & Telegraph Co.
- ½ share Boston Elevated Railway Co. second preferred.
- \$500. Anglo-American Oil Corpn. 7½s of 1925.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE RUSSELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1922	<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance	\$33.02

1922	<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 31	Balance on Deposit, principal amount	\$33.02

The Fund is invested as follows:

7 shares Boston & Maine Railroad Co. preferred "A"
2 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JULIA A. BEMIS FUND FOR BENEFIT OF LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1922	<i>Dr.</i>		
Jan. 1	Balance	\$35.34	
	Dividends, West End St. Ry. Co., common	7.00	
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Company 5s	50.00	
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		\$92.34	<hr/>

1922	<i>Cr.</i>		
Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$57.00	
	Balance on Deposit, principal account	35.34	
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		\$92.34	<hr/>

The Fund is invested as follows:

1 share Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$1,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1922	<i>Dr.</i>		
Jan. 1	Balance		\$18.33
	Coupons, American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s		50.00
	Dividends, West End St. Ry. Co. common		3.50
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			\$71.83
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1922	<i>Cr.</i>		
Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library		\$53.50
	Balance on Deposit, principal account		18.33
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			\$71.83
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The Fund is invested as follows:

$\frac{1}{2}$ share Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$1,000. American Ttl. & Tel. Co. 5s, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR LINCOLN LIBRARY

1922		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$81.87
		Dividends, West End St. Ry. Co. common	19.25
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s	100.00
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			\$201.12
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1922		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$119.25
		1 share West End St. Ry. Co. common	52.50
		Balance on deposit, principal account	29.37
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			\$201.12
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The Fund is invested as follows:

3 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$2,000. Unittd States Rubber 5s, due 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer*.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR SILENT POOR

1922		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$953.76
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber 5s of 1947	100.00
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			\$1,053.76
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1922		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Paid on Selectmen's Orders	\$55.00
		Balance on Deposit, Income Account	837.60
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	161.16
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			\$1,053.76
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The Fund is invested as follows:

\$2,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR TOWN HEARSE

1922		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$222.67
		Dividend, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.	33.75
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			\$256.42
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1922		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Balance on Deposit	\$256.42
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The Fund is invested as follows:

15 shares Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND TRUSTEES

In Account with

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND

1922

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$1,670.28
	Dividends, Ptnnsylvania Railroad Co.	112.50
	“ Boston & Providence Railroad Co. ..	100.00
	“ Old Colony Railroad Co.	70.00
	“ Boston & Albany Railroad Co.	140.00
	“ American Tel. & Tel. Co.	540.00
	“ West End St. Ry. Co. preferred	40.00
	“ Great Northern Railway Co. pfd. ..	131.25
	Coupons, American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	50.00
	“ Southern Railway Co. 4s	120.00
	“ U. S. Rubber Co. 5s	50.00
	Sale, 35 Amtrican Tel. & Tel. Co. rights	129.36
	Interest on deposit	36.22
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		\$3,189.61
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Jan. 24	W. C. Robus, Operator Nov. 18th and 26th	\$6.00
Jan. 26	Concert. (December 23rd) Mme. Ferrell	115.00
Feb. 3	Lecture. Henry Warren Poor	60.00
Feb. 10	Concrt. Edith Bennett	83.20
Feb. 24	Lecture. James T. Barrett	100.00
Mar. 2	P. A. Carter. (postals and labor)	2.87
Mar. 10	Doherty Garage	3.00
July 14	P. A. Carter. (postals and labor)	3.00
July 15	Concert. Waltham Watch Co. Band	195.00
Oct. 31	Purchase, 5 shares American Tel. & Tel. Co. (25 of the 60 rights used)	513.75
Dec. 5	R. D. Donaldson. (labor on bandstand)	15.00
Dec. 14	P. A. Carter. (postals, printing and labor) ...	10.20
Dec. 19	Reading. E. Pomeroy Collier	50.00

Dec. 22	Play. The Scottish Musical Comedy Co.	160.20
Dec. 31	Concert. Boston Chamber Music Club.	154.76
Dec. 31	Balance	1,717.63
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		\$3,189.61
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The Fund is invested as follows:

50 shares Pennsylvania R. R. Co.
 30 " Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "B"
 10 " Boston & Providence R. R. Co.
 16 " Boston & Albany R. R. Co.
 10 " Boston & Maine R. R. preferred "A"
 10 " Old Colony R. R. Co.
 5 " Boston Elevated Railway Co. first preferred.
 65 " American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
 50 " Northern Idaho & Montana Power Co. preferred.
 25 " Great Northern Railway Co. preferred.
 \$4,000 New York Railways Co. 5s of 1942.
 \$1,000 New York Railways Co. 4s of 1942.
 \$3,000 Southern Railway Co. 4s of 1956.
 \$1,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s of 1946.
 \$1,000 U. S. Rubber Co. 5s of 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

The Commissioners submit herewith the following report for the year 1922:

There has been expended for work in connection with the cemeteries for the year \$556.01. This amount the coming year will be taken from the funds available for cemetery purposes as per the vote of the Town. A considerable part of the increased expenditure was occasioned by the severe ice storm of November 1921, and there are several cords of wood at the cemetery which was cut after the storm, and which will be disposed of during the coming year and a credit of at least \$150 may be expected.

Up to date there have been about 80 of the several hundred available lots in the new cemetery taken. The Commissioners during the year have undertaken to perfect the records that have been kept since this cemetery was started so that in the future there will be no confusion of any sort respecting the ownership of the lots, whether such lots have any markers to indicate burials or not. The Commissioners propose to go further in this systematizing of the records and have the location of each grave indicated on a plan of the lot. This entails a great deal of care and work, but we believe that it is necessary for the proper care and administration of this cemetery in the future. The care of lots for which legacies have been provided, the income of which is to be used for annual care as well as the general care of the cemeteries, has been carried on as usual.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. SMITH,
EDWARD F. FLINT,
FRITZ CUNNERT,

Cemetery Commissioners.

THE TOWN TREASURER
In Account with
 THE LINCOLN CEMETERY COMMISSION

1922

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance on hand	\$420.95
	Dividends, American Sugar Refining preferred..	28.00
	Dividends, Union Pacific R. R. preferred	12.00
	Lot 100	20.00
	Lot 71	30.00
	Interest	20.61
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		\$531.56
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Dec. 31	Town Treasurer, for Cemetery Account	\$389.95
	Balance on hand	141.61
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		\$531.56
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The following is a list of securities held by the Town Treasurer:

Four shares American Sugar Refining Co. preferred.

Three shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. preferred.

Two shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "A."

Also the following funds for the care of lots in cemetery, all of which are deposited in the Middlesex Institution of Savings, Concord, Mass.

General Fund \$166.67 plus \$16.81 interest.

Orilla J. Flint Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$83.67.

Samuel Hartwell Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$83.67.

Annie A. Ray Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$83.68.

John H. Pierce Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$139.19.

Maria L. Thompson Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$139.49.

George F. Harrington Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$26.51.
Francis Flint Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$66.31.
William W. Benjamin Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$43.80.
Abijah G. Jones Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$26.29.
Ellen F. Whitney Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$8.74.

(Signed) C. LEE TODD,
Town Treasurer.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Board of Assessors submit the following report:

Number of residents assessed on property	282
“ non-residents assessed on property	84
“ assessed on polls only	167
“ acres of land assessed	8,740
“ dwelling houses assessed	291 $\frac{1}{3}$
“ horses assessed	209
“ cows assessed	506
“ neat cattle other than cows assessed	88
“ swine assessed	182
“ sheep assessed	35
“ fowl assessed	5,100
Value of land, exclusive of building	\$ 735,135.00
“ buildings, exclusive of land	1,172,595.00
“ real estate	\$1,907,730.00
“ personal estate	288,342.00
Total valuation	\$2,196,072.00
State tax	\$ 4,320.00
State highway tax	918.50
County tax	2,744.21
Town grants	61,550.00
Overlayings	303.31
Total	\$69,836.02
Deduct income tax	21,858.53
Amount to be collected	\$47,977.49
No. of Polls	372
Rate of taxation, \$21.00 per \$1,000.00	

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,
HERBERT G. FARRAR,

Assessors.

RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Adams, John	365	7.67			7.67
Adams, Mary O., Exrx.	2,100	44.10	70,000	1,470.00	1,521.10
Adams, Mary O.			8,800	184.80	184.80
A'Hearn, Timothy			2,500	52.50	52.50
Algeo, John O.	200	4.20			4.20
Baker, James E.	100	2.10	100	2.10	4.20
Bailey, Edward O.	300	6.30	4,300	90.30	96.60
Balch, Francis N.	400	8.40			8.40
Balcom, Joseph E.	200	4.20			4.20
Bannon, Edward			2,000	42.00	42.00
Bamforth, Fred J. D.	700	14.70			14.70
Banton, Edward F.	100	2.10			2.10
Bean, Abbie E.	650	13.65	3,500	73.50	87.15
Bean, Elmer A.	1,000	21.00			21.00
Bemis, Julia A.	1,500	31.50	3,650	76.65	108.15
Bent, Edwin S.	500	10.50			10.50
Bent, Edwin S., et al.			3,500	73.50	73.50
Blodgett, Emma S.			20,000	420.00	420.00
Blodgett, Stephen H.	1,000	21.00	8,500	178.50	199.50
Bova, Conti Bartholomew	300	6.30	6,200	130.20	136.50
Bowles, William	935	19.64	3,500	73.50	93.14

Bowen, David C.	400	8.40			8.40
Bowen, Lorenzo W.	100	2.10		315.00	317.10
Boyce, Manley B.				2,600	54.60
Boyce, Michael J.				4,500	94.50
Boyce Bros.	3,993	83.85		8,500	262.35
Bradley, Sarah A. W.				500	10.50
Bradstreet, Byron				7,000	147.00
Briggs, Richard	300	6.30			6.30
Briggs, Richard, Jr.	500	10.50			10.50
Brokenshire, J. J.	300	6.30			6.30
Brooks, Albert S.	1,000	21.00			21.00
Brooks, Estella M.			4,500	94.50	94.50
Brooks, Lorenzo E.	450	9.45	5,000	105.00	114.45
Brooks, Sarah W., et al.			4,500	94.50	94.50
Browning, Edgar C.	450	9.45	2,500	52.50	61.95
Browning, George U.	1,250	26.25	6,000	126.00	152.25
Bunker, Abbie	310	6.51	3,000	63.00	69.51
Burgess, John A.	1,000	21.00	6,500	136.50	157.50
Burnham, William A.	155	3.26			3.26
Burke, Thomas D.	300	6.30	1,600	33.60	39.90
Burriage, John	200	4.20			4.20
Butcher, Charles R.	200	4.20	850	17.85	22.05
Butcher, Henry A.	350	7.35	2,000	42.00	49.35
Butcher, Ralph E.	385	8.09	3,200	67.20	75.29
Calkins, James T.	150	3.15	2,600	54.60	57.75
Calkins, T. Alonzo	75	1.57	3,000	63.00	64.57
Campbell, Fanny S., et al.			9,100	191.10	191.10
Carlson, Benjamin E.	1,675	35.18	20,000	420.00	455.18

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Chapin, Arthur F.....	200	4.20			4.20
Chapin, Carrie B.....			1,500	31.50	31.50
Chapin, Clara F.....			6,400	134.40	134.40
Chapin, Cyrus S.....	1,500	31.50			31.50
Chapin, Elizabeth G.			2,000	42.00	42.00
Christiansen, Peter			700	14.70	14.70
Clark, John T.....	1,500	31.50	7,000	147.00	178.50
Coan, John H.....	2,485	52.19	4,000	84.00	136.19
Coan, Bridgett	970	20.37	3,500	73.50	93.87
Coan, Thomas F.			600	12.60	12.60
Coburn, Edward S.....	1,900	39.90	5,000	105.00	144.90
Codman, Alice N.....	207	4.35			4.35
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.....	127	2.67			2.67
Codman, Hugh	195	4.10			4.10
Codman, Sarah F., Est.	3,960	83.16			
Codman, Thomas N.....	1,613	33.87	75,000	1,575.00	1,658.16
Connors, Michael	350	7.35	1,150	24.15	31.50
Conway, William J.....	675	14.18	1,900	39.90	54.08
Cook, George	300	6.30			6.30
Corrigan, Patrick F.....			2,000	42.00	42.00
Corrigan, Mary			2,000	42.00	42.00
Cotona, Nicholas	720	15.12	1,000	21.00	35.12
Cousins, George L.	3,650	76.65	6,000	126.00	202.65

Cousins, Harold S.....	825	17.33	6,000	126.00	143.33
Crook, Russel G.....	500	10.50	3,000	63.00	63.00
Crowell, Wendell.....	480	10.08	1,000	21.00	10.50
Crowley, Mary A.....	300	6.30	3,500	73.50	21.00
Cunnert, Carl T.....	380	7.98	4,000	84.00	83.58
Cunnert, Fritz.....	500	10.50	3,000	63.00	6.30
Cunningham, Francis H.....	50	1.05	5,000	105.00	91.98
Cunningham, George E.....	2,000	42.00	7,500	157.50	73.50
Danner, John.....	400	8.40	10,500	220.50	105.00
Davidson, Samuel S.....	1,025	21.52	2,000	42.00	1.05
Davis, Alfred G.....	200	4.20	46,000	966.00	199.50
Davis, E. Russel.....	100	2.10	5,000	105.00	8.40
Davis, Prescott L.....	12,250	257.25	1,000	21.00	242.02
Davison, Everett H.....	600	12.60	500	10.50	42.00
Dean, Clarence H.....	300	6.30	1,500	31.50	4.20
Dean, Harold S.....	1,800	37.80	6,000	126.00	2.10
DeCordova, Julian.....	400	8.40	500	10.50	1,223.25
Dee, Thomas J.....	300	6.30	800	16.80	117.60
Delery, Theresa.....	500	10.50	2,000	42.00	21.00
Delorey, William.....	300	6.30	3,500	73.50	10.50
Dempsey, Edward.....	1,800	37.80	31,600	663.60	37.80
De Normandie, Charles L.....	400	8.40	500	10.50	163.80
De Normandie, William J.....	300	6.30	500	10.50	8.40
De Palma, Nicholas.....	500	10.50	800	16.80	16.80
Diamond, James.....	6,800	142.80	2,000	42.00	52.50
Denio, F. Winchester.....			3,500	73.50	73.50
Dodge, Kate, F. P.....			31,600		806.40
Donaldson, Robert D.....					

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Doherty, Anthony J.....	300	6.30	4,500	94.50	100.80
Doherty, Mary			1,500	31.50	31.50
Doherty & Corrigan	4,000	84.00	5,000	105.00	189.00
Doherty, Matthew H.....			3,000	63.00	63.00
Dougherty, Andrew John.....	200	4.20			4.20
Dougherty, Andrew J.....	1,335	28.04	2,500	52.50	80.54
Dougherty, Dennis M.....	200	4.20			4.20
Dougherty, Matthew M.....	150	3.15			3.15
Dougherty, Mary M.	300	6.30			6.30
Domenichello, Domenick	400	8.40	2,000	42.00	50.40
Dunklee, Albert	100	2.10			2.10
Eaton, Winslow A.....			6,500	136.50	136.50
Edgerly, Jonathan F.....	1,300	27.30	20,500	430.50	457.80
Ehlert, Ellen			2,000	42.00	42.00
Eldredge, Emma M., Est.	600	12.60			12.60
Ellms, Charles W.....	100	2.10	5,000	105.00	107.10
Elms, Marjorie	300	6.30			6.30
Emerson, Carl E.....	740	15.54	2,400	50.40	65.94
Farrar, Edward R.....	715	15.02	9,000	189.00	204.02
Farrar, Herbert G.....			4,250	89.25	89.25
Farrar, John F.....			3,000	63.00	63.00
Farrar, John F. & Son.....	1,020	21.42			21.42
Farquhar, Annie M.	400	8.40			8.40

Farquhar, David.....	825	17.33	9,500	199.50	216.83
First, Parish			3,500	73.50	73.50
Fleming, Mary	70	1.47	600	12.60	14.07
Flint Bros.		35.49	17,300	363.30	363.30
Flint, Edward F.....	1,690		4,500	94.50	129.99
Flint, Ephraim B.....	3,850	80.85	8,000	168.00	262.50
Flynn, Frank J.....			2,500	52.50	52.50
Foreman, Charles			2,000	42.00	42.00
Foster, Helen P.....			10,000	210.00	210.00
Gately, Annie E.....	1,000	21.00	17,000	357.00	378.00
Gates, Earl F.....	800	16.80			16.80
Gates, Edith M.....	375	7.88	6,000	126.00	133.88
Gay, Arthur E.....	100	2.10			2.10
Giles, Thomas L.....			2,250	47.25	47.25
Giles, Thomas T.	100	2.10			2.10
Glover, Charles A.....	250	5.25	2,000	42.00	47.25
Gordon, Donald.....	21,600	453.60	135,000	2,835.00	3,288.60
Graf, Edward			500	10.50	10.50
Graves, George A.....	771	16.19	5,000	105.00	121.19
Graves, George A., Adm.....			40	.84	.84
Gustin, Francis E.	1,420	29.82			29.82
Hamilton, D. Lincoln.....	250	5.25	2,400	50.40	55.65
Hamilton, Celeste C.....			600	12.60	12.60
Harding, William A.....	300	6.30	2,000	42.00	48.30
Hart, Joseph S.....			20,500	430.50	430.50
Hatheway, Conrad P.....	800	16.80	6,500	136.50	153.30
Heald, Jay M.	500	10.50	5,000	105.00	115.50
Herman, Edwards W.....	1,325	27.83	12,800	268.80	296.63

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Higginson, A. Henry	4,000	84.00			84.00
Higginson, Jeanne A.....	3,350	70.35			70.35
Hilliard, Florence M.....	200	4.20	4,500	94.50	98.70
Hilliard, William M.....	500	10.50	4,000	84.00	94.50
Hills, George E.....	100	2.10	1,500	31.50	33.60
Hodges, George C.....			7,500	157.50	157.50
Holman, Daniel	400	8.40	200	4.20	4.20
Howard, William L., Jr.....	904	18.98			8.40
Hunt, Merrill	1,450	30.45	9,000	189.00	207.98
Hunter Euphemia J.....			3,800	79.80	110.25
Hutton, James	800	16.80	1,000	21.00	21.00
Jensen, Niel	200	4.20	2,500	52.50	69.30
Jensen, Olin A.	200	4.20			4.20
Jensen, Otto A. B.	200	4.20			4.20
Johnson, John	15	.32	300	6.30	6.62
Johnson, Walter W.....	250	5.25	5,455	114.55	119.80
Jones, George F.....	225	4.73	3,200	67.20	71.93
Jose, Eugene	725	15.23	3,400	71.40	86.63
Kelliher, John J.....			2,000	42.00	42.00
Kennedy, Honor			3,100	65.00	65.00
Kidder Bros.	1,500	31.50	11,000	231.00	262.50
King, Elizabeth L.....			2,000	42.00	42.00
Kelley, Joseph J.	1,500	31.50			31.50

Lahey, James.....	1,000	21.00	1,000	21.00	21.00
Laffin, Thomas F.....	1,000	21.00	13,000	273.00	294.00
Laird, James T., Est.	150	3.15	2,750	57.75	57.75
Lamont, Henry.....	150	3.15		3.15	3.15
Langille, Isaac					3.15
Lennon, James W.....			2,500	52.50	52.50
Lennon, John B.....			2,500	52.50	52.50
Lennon, Patrick J.....			1,300	27.30	27.30
Lerosa, Joseph	300	6.30			6.30
Lewis, James P.....	700	14.70			14.70
Lincoln, Farms			4,000	84.00	84.00
Little, Amos R.....	1,050	22.05	30,000	630.00	652.05
Loring, Robert G.....	1,250	26.25	5,200	109.20	135.45
Lunt, Charles	250	5.25	1,500	31.50	36.75
MacRae, Isaac N.....	700	14.70	3,600	75.60	90.30
Mann, David W.....	200	4.20	3,500	73.50	77.70
Martin, Ellen			2,500	52.50	52.50
Marcy, Florence E. G.....	700	14.70	16,000	336.00	350.70
MacAskill, Dan	150	3.15	2,700	56.70	59.85
McHugh Bros.	1,155	24.26	5,000	105.00	129.26
McLean, Hector J.....	200	4.20	2,500	52.50	56.70
Morrissey, Annie	1,680	35.28	4,500	94.50	129.78
Moynihan, Timothy.....			3,000	63.00	63.00
Nelson Bros.	2,165	45.47	8,000	168.00	213.47
Neville Bros.	1,425	29.93			29.93
Neville, Martin			4,000	84.00	84.00
Neville, William J.....	200	4.20			4.20
O'Brien, Frank M.....			400	8.40	8.40

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
O'Brien, James	500	10.50	1,500	31.50	42.00
O'Hearn, William J.	200	4.20			4.20
O'Leary, John J.	530	11.13	5,000	105.00	116.13
Osgood, Emily L.	808	16.97	37,000	777.00	793.97
Page, Frank L.	150	3.15			3.15
Page, G. William.	700	14.70			14.70
Page, Henry R.	600	12.60			12.60
Page, Henry R., et al.			10,000	210.00	210.00
Pearson, Burt W.	375	7.88	3,500	73.50	81.38
Peck, Chester G.	1,775	37.28	20,000	420.00	457.28
Peirce, William C.	1,500	31.50	3,500	73.50	105.00
Peirce, William C., et al.			14,000	294.00	294.00
Peterson, Andrew P.	50	1.05	1,500	31.50	32.55
Pierce, Elsie	2,150	45.15	25,500	535.50	580.65
Pollard, Ann D.	7,595	159.50	36,500	766.50	926.00
Pollard, Frederick H.			7,000	147.00	147.00
Pope, Amelia V.			10,000	210.00	210.00
Preble, Charles O.	200	4.20			4.20
Premak, John	300	6.30	3,000	63.00	69.30
Reardon, John F.	200	4.20			4.20
Rice, Edwin B.	900	18.90	2,500	52.50	71.40

Rice, Warren A.	150	3.15			3.15
Richardson, Harriet C.				42.00	42.00
Riley, Ellen.				126.00	126.00
Roche, Bridget.				126.00	126.00
Robus, Tamzin K.				42.00	42.00
Rogers, William G.	300	6.30			6.30
Rooney, John W.				52.50	52.50
Rooney, John W., Jr.				31.50	31.50
Rollins, Bros.	2,150	45.15			45.15
Ryan, Daniel.	200	4.20			4.20
Ryan, Frank A.	250	5.25			5.25
Ryan, James T.	200	4.20			4.20
Ryan, Mary J.	300	6.30			6.30
Ryan, Mary.				42.00	42.00
Ryan, Stacia.	775	16.28		42.00	42.00
Sargent, Charles O.	300	6.30		42.00	42.00
Sargent, Francis B.	85	1.79		115.50	131.78
Scripture, Bertha.	60	1.26			6.30
Scripture, Mary J.	150	3.15		63.00	1.79
Seeckts, Albert.	300	6.30		25.20	1.26
Seekins, T. B.	250	5.25			66.15
Shea, James J.				63.00	31.50
Shepard, Richard A.	150	3.15		63.00	5.25
Sherman, Chester H.	1,200	25.20			63.00
Sherman, Daniel E.				157.50	3.15
Sherman, Carrie.				44.10	182.70
Sherman, Martin.	150	3.15		31.50	44.10
Sherman, Roger.	125	2.63		126.00	34.65
					128.63

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Sherman, Susan R.....			5,000	105.00	105.00
Sherman, Warren A.	300	6.30			6.30
Sherman, William H.	1,300	27.30	4,000	84.00	111.30
Silva, Manuel	2,200	46.20	2,500	52.50	98.70
Sims, John W.			1,150	24.15	24.15
Smith, Charles S.	4,650	97.65	59,450	1,248.45	1,346.10
Smith, Lillian P.	500	10.50	3,000	63.00	73.50
Snelling, Caroline.	800	16.80	3,000	63.00	79.80
Snelling, Marion L.	400	8.40	9,000	189.00	197.40
Spalding, Nellie H.	400	8.40	6,000	126.00	134.40
Stackpole, Katharine C.	600	12.60			12.60
Storey, Moorfield	1,725	36.23	24,000	504.00	540.23
Tarbell, George G.	2,285	47.99			47.99
Tarbell, George G., Trustees			20,000	420.00	420.00
Taillacq, Isabel	1,000	21.00			21.00
Tasker, John	200	4.20	3,000	63.00	67.20
Todd, C. Lee	800	16.80	25,000	525.00	541.80
Tyler, Fred	300	6.30	2,200	46.20	52.50
Tyler, Watson, Est.			2,200	46.20	46.20
Warner, Henrietta	512	10.75			10.75
Warner, Henry E.	3,000	63.00	12,000	252.00	315.00
Watson, Samuel J.			1,500	31.50	31.50
Watson, William E.	200	4.20	1,500	31.50	35.70

Washburn, Mary J.....				2,000	42.00	42.00
Welch, Helen F.....				500	10.50	10.50
Welch, Martin M.....				2,500	52.50	52.50
Weston, Ann E., Est.				3,000	63.00	63.00
Weston, Georgianna H.....	100	2.10		5,000	105.00	107.10
Wheeler, Ella A.				3,500	73.50	73.50
Wheeler, Charles S.	1,500	31.50		12,000	252.00	252.00
Wheeler, Charlotte				4,500	94.50	94.50
Wheeler, Charlotte, et al.....	625	13.13		3,000	63.00	76.13
Wheeler, C. Edgar.....	300	6.30				6.30
Wheeler, Andrew J.	250	5.25		2,500	52.00	57.25
Wheeler, Earl R.	300	6.30				6.30
Wheeler, Elizabeth.....	760	15.96		5,000	105.00	120.96
Wheeler, George R.....	275	5.78		4,000	84.00	89.78
Wheeler, Herman T.....	400	8.40				8.40
Whitney, Harold P.	800	16.80		5,500	115.50	132.30
Wilkins, Annie M.	1,125	23.63		3,500	73.50	96.13
Wilson, John	350	7.35		6,500	136.50	143.85
Woodhull, Charles E.....	400	8.40				8.40
Wyman, Ferdinand A., Jr.						

NON-RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Ames, Mrs. J. B., Cambridge			500	10.50	10.50
Baker, Walter F., Weston			120	2.52	2.52
Blodgett, Edwin S.			2,000	42.00	42.00
Brooks, Mary A., Concord			650	13.65	13.65
Broughall, Mrs. Stephen Lexington....			20	.42	.42
Brown, Elvira, Est., Lexington.....			250	5.25	5.25
Brown, Harry Wayland.....			100	2.10	2.10
Brown, William, Winchendon			1,040	21.84	21.84
Burgess, Harry A., Lexington		21.00	240	5.04	26.04
Carroll, Henrietta S., Malden.....	1,000		50	1.05	1.05
Cheaney, George, Weston			150	3.15	3.15
Cousins, Fred E., Littleton.....			4,500	94.50	94.50
Curly, Annie, Boston.....			500	10.50	10.50
Curry, S. E., Somerville			200	4.20	4.20
DeNormandie, Alice W., Boston.....		25.73	17,500	367.50	393.23
DeNormandie, James, Boston.....	1,225		6,500	136.50	136.50
Donovan, Michael, Concord			300	6.30	6.30
Doyle, Daniel, Weston			700	14.70	14.70
Eaton, Frederick A., Concord			200	4.20	4.20
Edison Electric Illuminating Co., Boston	30,000	630.00			630.00
Emerson, E. W., Concord.....			650	13.65	13.65

Enerburke, Mrs. C. J., Boston	400	8.40	8.40
Fallon, Matthew W., Jr., Boston	6,100	128.10	128.10
Farrar, Herbert W., Saugus	1,000	21.00	21.00
Fitchburg R. R. Co.....	900	18.90	18.90
Gile, Flora J., Concord.....	150	3.15	3.15
Gourgas, Francis R., Heirs of, Concord	50	1.05	1.05
Graves, Albert S., Brookline	16,000	336.00	336.00
Green, Grace, Willow Springs, Wis.	100	2.10	2.10
Grimwood, Henry A., Weston.....	100	2.10	2.10
Harrington, T. F., Waltham.....	7,100	149.10	141.75
Hay, Robert T., Melrose.....	5,500	115.50	149.10
Hayden, Nellie B., Lexington.....	200	4.20	115.50
Heywood, C. Fay, Concord	500	10.50	4.20
Higginson, Henry L., Est., Boston.....	70,000	1,470.00	10.50
Homes, Sarah E., Somerville	200	4.20	1,470.00
Hunt, Lewis E., Somerville.....	1,000	21.00	4.20
Jenks, Albert R., W. Acton.....	1,500	31.50	21.00
Kaizer, Horace, Concord.....	2,500	52.50	31.50
Keyes, Prescott, Concord	11,000	231.00	52.50
Locke, Isaac, Heirs of, Boston.....	200	4.20	231.00
Loring, Augustus, P., Jr., Boston	4,500	94.50	4.20
Lovett, Robert W., Boston.....	6,000	126.00	94.50
Lima, Anthony J., Lexington.....	500	10.50	126.00
Lynski, Thomas, Waltham.....	2,500	52.50	10.50
Malloy, Mrs. John, Waltham	600	12.60	52.50
Marr, John W., Waltham.....	500	10.50	12.60
McGrath, Patrick, Concord.....	1,050	22.05	10.50
Moore, Sarah B., Concord.....	300	6.30	22.05
			6.30
	6,650	139.65	

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Munroe Felt & Paper Co., Boston			1,000	21.00	21.00
Neville, Henry P., Bedford.....			850	17.85	17.85
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.....	10,562	221.80	3,600	75.60	297.40
Norton, Mrs. T. M., Ayer			15	.32	.32
Paine, Horace G., Concord			150	3.15	3.15
Paul, William B. W.			1,500	31.50	31.50
Richardson, Annett, Weston			300	6.30	6.30
Richardson, T. C., Weston.....			150	3.15	3.15
Rodman, Emma, Nahant.....			5,000	105.00	105.00
Rogers, Edward H., Cambridge.....	1,875	39.38	12,000	252.00	291.38
Root, Frank K., Chicago			600	12.60	12.60
Scully, James J., Cambridge.....			5,000	105.00	105.00
Shaw, Nellie S., Woburn.....			100	2.10	2.10
Sherman, Herbert A., Weston.....			100	2.10	2.10
Smith, Eugene H., Waltham.....			100	2.10	2.10
Smith, Eliza A., Portsmouth, N. H.....			200	4.20	4.20
Sousa, Joseph			1,200	25.20	25.20
Stewart, Frank, Waltham.....			100	2.10	2.10
Storrow, Helen O., Boston.....			4,000	84.00	84.00
Storrow, James J., Boston.....	5,725	120.23	141,000	2,961.00	3,081.23
Stow, Elizabeth, Concord			200	4.20	4.20
Thorndike, Sturgis H., Boston			2,000	42.00	42.00

Walker, A. Bruce, Milwaukee, Wis.....				5.25	
Western Union Tel. Co.....	1,970	41.37	250	41.37	5.25
Wheeler, Frank, Est., Concord.....			2,500	52.50	52.50
Wheeler, Henry A., Weston.....			100	2.10	2.10
Wheelwright, Mary C., Boston	2,675	56.18	15,000	315.00	371.18
White, Robert, Lexington.....			1,000	21.00	21.00
Wilcox, Charlotte W.....			6,000	126.00	126.00
Woodard, Arthur, Weston			1,000	21.00	21.00
Worcester, Alice, Waltham.....			1,000	21.00	21.00

TREASURER'S REPORT

The receipts into and payments from the Treasury for the year 1922 have been as follows:

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand January 1st, 1922	\$ 5,553.19
T. L. Giles, Collector of Taxes	46,808.76
Highway Department	3,271.30
Moth Department	251.10
Dog Tax 1921	251.29
Town Hall, use of	20.00
Town Loan, Anticipation of Taxes (\$3.58)	20,000.00
School Department, from Trustees Grammar School Fund 1921	61.21
" " from New England Tel. & Tel. Co. a/c error	29.89
" " from Mass. Transportation High School pupils (1920)	574.20
" " from Mass. a/c Mass. School Fund 1921	294.36
" " from Mass. General School Fund	1,510.00
" " from Mass. Vocational Education	26.45
" " from Mass. Tuition of Children	921.00
" " from South School, Coal used 1921	102.00
" " from Material and Damage	9.33
Concord Court	96.90
Transfer from Sinking and Trust Funds	11,000.00
Massachusetts Corporation Tax, Domestic	14.82
" " 1920	20.17
" " 1921	25.41
Income	9.50
" " 1919	28.50
" " 1920	494.00
" " 1921	40,743.41
" " 1922	39.44
Compensation of Animal Inspector	6,683.33
Concord Road	6,683.33
Middlesex County, Concord Road	340.85
Cambridge, City of—Tax	1.85
Miscellaneous from Tel. phone calls Outside	200.00
" Lincoln Library 1921 a/c Janitor	389.95
Cemetery from Cemetery Fund	87.50
District Nurse from Town of Sudbury	483.33
" " Lincoln School	171.60
" " Nurse	120.13
Interest on Deposit	
	\$147,318.10

PAYMENTS

Massachusetts Corporation Tax 1921—Public Service—over paid	\$ 114.30
Transfer to Sinking and Trust Funds	11,000.00
Middlesex County Tax	2,744.21
Town Note	20,000.00
Selectmen's Orders	83,814.82
Balance on hand January 1st, 1923	29,644.77

\$147,318.10

C. LEE TODD, Treasurer.

REPORT OF COLLECTOR OF TAXES

There remain unpaid of the taxes assessed in 1920..	\$384.00
For the year 1921	1,415.45
And for the year 1922	6,932.51
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Making total uncollected taxes to Jan. 1, 1923....	\$8,731.96

THOMAS L. GILES,
Collector.

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT

Outstanding Bonds January 1, 1923

Issue of 1900 due 1930 Coupon $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, J. & D.	\$10,000.00
Issue of 1900 due 1930 Reg'd. $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, J. & D. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts)	13,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Coupon $3\frac{1}{2}$ s M. & S.	6,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Reg'd. $3\frac{1}{2}$ s M. & S. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts)	3,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & N.	5,000.00
Issue of 1904 due 1934 Coupon 4s, M. & S.	5,000.00
Issue of 1906 due 1936 Coupon 4s, M. & S.	14,000.00
Issue of 1907 due 1937 Coupon 4s, M. & S.	4,000.00
Issue of 1907 Serial Coupon 4s, M. & S. (\$500 due each year) ..	2,500.00
Issue of 1911 Serial Coupon 4s, M. & S. (\$500 due each year) ..	500.00
	\$63,000.00

REPORT OF BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

The Board of Water Commissioners respectfully submit the following report for the year 1922.

The pumps have given good service and have always been in condition to work. Most of the pumping has been done with no operator in attendance, therefore making a saving in salary.

An unusually small amount of leaks have occurred, and no new construction has been started, affording another saving.

The reservoir bank, gate house wall, and coal pocket need repairing, and the hydrants would be improved by painting. Otherwise the plant is in good condition with the exception of the cement-lined pipe on the station road, which the Board intends to commence renewing this year.

A few years ago the Town voted to make an extension in North Lincoln to the sight of the old North School, but no appropriation was made, and the interested parties have never yet made any formal guarantee, consequently the Board has done nothing about the extension.

The Profit and Loss Sheet shows the present financial condition of the Water Works, and it can be seen that the net gain was the largest in the history of the Department.

Probably many people think they pay high water rates, especially those with many fixtures and small families. At any rate, the Board heard only two formal complaints from people who previously had paid water taxes in cities. These people raised the common question that because they had numerous fixtures they did not use any more water than if they had half as many fixtures. The Board does not attempt to deny the contention, but the taxes must be collected, and

the Board has not yet found a better system of charging than the one in use. It has been proved here conclusively that the meter system is out of the question, and any other system which the Board might operate to gain the revenue would probably not please every one, therefore the Board decided to leave well enough alone and kept on with the old system. However, it would seem that the consumers who have only one faucet do not pay in proportion to what they use. It is significant that the average number of gallons of water pumped per month in the winter is nearly as much as in the summer, and the inference is that water must be left running to keep it from freezing, and usually the most danger from freezing is in the houses with no furnace and generally one fixture. Water is not unduly wasted here, for the average daily per capita consumption is only a little larger than the average in many cities.

SUMNER SMITH,
JOHN J. KELLEHER,
ROBERT R. HUNTER,
Water Commissioners

Summary of Statistics for Year Ending December 31, 1922

PUMPING STATISTICS

Rumsey Triplex Pump, 10½" x 12", 25 H.P. motor.

Rumsey Triplex Pump, 12" x 14", 40 H. P. motor.

Power furnished by Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston.

Total water pumped for year 77,134,000 gallons.

Cost of pumping, figured on Pumping Station's expenses (including salaries and power), \$34.63 per million gallons.

Cost of pumping, figured on Pumping Station expenses, power, salaries, interest, repairs and renewals and depreciation, \$211.20 per million gallons pumped.

Statistics Relating to Distribution System

Mains

1. Kind of pipe used, cement lined, cast iron, wood stave, galvanized iron.
2. Sizes, 1½" to 12".
3. Extended during the year, none.
4. Discontinued during the year, none.
5. Total now in use, 26.571 miles. Hydrants replaced, 1.
6. Number of hydrants added during the year, 0.
7. Number of hydrants (public and private) now in use, 126.
8. Number of stop-gates renewed, 1. Number of stop-gates added during the year, 0.
9. Number of stop-gates now in use, 136.
10. Number of blow-offs, 30.
11. Range of pressure on mains, 40 pounds to 100 pounds.

Services

12. Kind of pipe, galvanized iron and cement lined.
13. Sizes, ¾" to 4".
14. Renewed, 7. Discontinued, 0.
15. Number of service taps added during the year, 4.
16. Number now in use, 349.
17. Average length of service, 12' +.
18. Meters now in use, 13.

Water Report

PROFIT AND LOSS

Year Ending December 31, 1922.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>
Expense	\$ 119.09	\$11,406.38
Power	1,672.65	783.27
Salaries	874.68	103.58
Interest	2,465.86	
Repairs and Renewals	759.10	
Net Gain	6,401.85	
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	\$12,293.23	\$12,293.23
ASSETS		LIABILITIES
Construction	\$187 410.22	Bonds outstanding
Sinking Fund	35,312.13	Town of Lincoln, Loan 1912
Coal on Hand	200.00	Surplus
Wire on Hand	100.00	
Water bills uncollected	550.00	
Cash on Hand	2,874.49	
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	\$226,446.84	\$226,446.84

REPORT OF FIRE ENGINEERS

To the Board of Selectmen:

The Board of Fire Engineers herewith submit their 15th annual report ending December 31, 1922:

Force

The Fire Department consists of the following: one chief, six engineers and ten call men.

Apparatus

The apparatus belonging to the Department is as follows: Two combination trucks; twenty-five extinguishers; three ladders, hose, axes and plaster hooks.

Location of Apparatus

No. 2 Combination truck at Doherty's Garage, So. Lincoln.
No. 3 Ford Combination truck at John Dee Farm, Virginia Road, North Lincoln.

Fires

During the past year the truck has been called out as follows: 7 chimney; 11 grass and wood; 5 houses; 1 barn; at a loss of \$9,000.

ISAAC N. MACRAE, *Chief*,
THOMAS DEE,
HERBERT FARRAR,
H. S. COUSINS,
J. J. KELLIHER,
ANDREW DOUGHERTY,
MATTHEW H. DOUGHERTY.

TREE WARDEN'S REPORT

I herewith submit a brief report on the work done on the trees and against the Gypsy and Browntail Moths for the year ending December 31, 1922:

The methods used in handling the Gypsy Moth problem this year have been practically the same as in past years, namely creosoting nests on trees along the highways, followed by spraying. We find this the cheapest and most efficient way of carrying on the work. I am pleased to say that the Gypsy Moth infection is not as severe as it has been in past years, conditions as a whole show an improvement, due largely to parasitic attack and disease. I sincerely hope the same agencies will continue their good work. We found it necessary to go through some of the orchards and remove the Browntail Moth webs so as to prevent any further spread, there being three bushels of nests cut this year.

The work of removing the broken branches from the trees has been done on some of the highways, but not all, as it is a very slow and expensive job. I had the assistance of Dr. Stone of the Massachusetts Agricultural College, than whom there is no better authority on shade trees. In our opinion, the most important work is to remove the broken branches; after this is done, permanent shaping and pruning can be undertaken. Little, if any, injury will result to the tree if several years are taken for this work; in the meantime, it will give nature an opportunity to readjust herself.

The total expenditure of this Department is \$4,304.17, of which there has been charged up to property owners \$968.50 on account of private work, leaving a net cost of \$3,335.67 to the Town.

I recommend that \$3,500.00 be appropriated for Moth and Tree Work.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN J. KELLIHER.

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees on the following pages submit the report of the Treasurer and Librarian for the year ending December 31, 1922.

The Trustees ask for an appropriation of \$800.00 and the Dog Tax.

C. LEE TODD,
Chairman of the Trustees.

Dr.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF LINCOLN LIBRARY FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1922.

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RECEIPTS

Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1922	\$6.08
Cash received from fines, sale	44.74
Income from Liberty Bonds	8.50
Income from Codman Fund	43.75
Dog Tax, 1921	251.29
Income from Trust Funds, as follows:	
G. G. Tarbell Legacy	\$114.29
John Pierce Legacy	53.50
Abbie J. Stearns Legacy	119.25
Julia A. Bemis Fund	57.00
Town Appropriation	344.04
	800.00

\$1,498.40

EXPENDITURES

Water Rate	\$10.00
Clerical Work	10.00
Delivery of Books to South Lincoln	19.50
Sundries, by Librarians	12.99
Telephone	22.20
Light	54.34
Repairs, as follows:	
Canning Chairs	\$13.32
Windows	47.75
Supplies from Library Bureau	61.07
Magazines	6.68
Books	77.20
Salary of Janitor	172.81
Income of Pierce Fund paid Librarians	200.00
Salaries of Librarians	53.50
	500.00

\$1,200.29

Balance on hand 298.11

\$1,498.40

The Codman Fund is invested in five shares of Boston and Albany stock. The Library Trustees also hold \$200 in Liberty 4¼'s.

JOHN F. FARRAR, Treasurer

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY STATISTICS

Annual Report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1922

Library open Wednesday and Saturday from 3 to 9 P.M.,
except legal holidays.

Number of volumes at beginning of year	11,291
Number of volumes added by purchase	111
Number of volumes added by gift	2
Number of volumes withdrawn during year	30
Number of volumes at end of year	11,374
Number of volumes of fiction lent for home use	3,664
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent for home use	2,254
Number of volumes of children's books lent for home use	2,138
Total number of volumes lent for home use	8,056
Number of days Library was open	102

Gifts of books, periodicals, etc., have been received from the following persons:

Mr. A. N. Parks	Mr. J. Baker
Miss Elsie Pierce	Miss A. Bartlett
Miss J. Peirce	Mrs. Brokenshire
Miss B. Scripture	Mrs. Wm. Blodgett
Mr. J. W. Smith	Mrs. S. Blodgett
Mr. M. Story	Mr. E. Farrar
Mr. G. G. Tarbell	Mrs. W. Harrington
Miss M. Washburn	Mr. D. Mann
Mrs. Wilcox	Mr. A. J. Parker

The usual number of reports and bulletins have been received from various libraries and other public institutions.

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Accessions to the Library for 1922

FICTION

Ashmun, Margaret. Isabel Carleton at home.....	1013.29
———. Isabel Carleton's friends.....	1013.28
———. Isabel Carleton's year.....	1013.27
Bachelor, Irving. In the days of Poor Richard.....	724.26
Benchley, Robert C. Of all things.....	728.38
Birmingham, G. A. Lady Bountiful.....	1017.29
Blanchard, Grace. The island cure.....	1038.27
Braley, Berton. Sheriff of Silver Bow.....	1038.26
Burnett, Frances Hodgson. Head of the House of Coombe	1038.28
———. Robin.....	711.32
Canfield, Dorothy. Rough-hewn.....	1016.32
Clemens, Samuel L. (Mark Twain). Mysterious stranger: and other stories.....	1022.26
Comfort, Will Levington. This man's world.....	728.37
Cooper, Francis L. Captain Potts minister.....	1016.29
Deland, Margaret. The vehement flame.....	711.29
Gerould, Katherine Fullerton. Lost valley.....	918.30
Gowing, Sidney. The joy of living.....	1018.32
Grey, Zane. Light of Western stars: a romance.....	927.30
———. To the last man.....	927.31
Hawes, Charles Boardman. A romance of 1826, wherein are recorded the experiences of Josiah Woods of Topham, and of those others with whom he sailed for Cuba and the Gulf of Guinea.....	925.37
Hèmon, L. Maria Chapdelaine: Tale of the Lake St. John country.....	723.30
Hough, Emerson. The covered wagon.....	711.28
Hutchinson, A. S. M. Once aboard the lugger: Story of George and his Mary.....	723.31
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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENLARGING THE SCHOOL HOUSE

The Committee, consisting of the School Committee and three others appointed by the moderator, as voted at the Annual Town Meeting in March 1922, to look into the necessity for enlarging the present schoolhouse, or of providing in some way added schoolrooms to care for the increased number of pupils, makes the following report:

The Committee finds that all grades, with the exception of the 7th, 8th and 9th, are so large that each grade must occupy one schoolroom by itself. The Center School has six main rooms, suitable for classrooms, and one small recitation room, which can be used as a classroom for a grade of 15 pupils. It has been used for a class of 19, but was overcrowded with this number. This leaves us the necessity of providing two extra rooms as classrooms, as a minimum with which to function properly. During the past year, the School Committee has taken care of this situation by opening the South Schoolhouse. A new heating plant was installed, many minor repairs made, the trim of the building painted, and the walls and ceilings of the classrooms were painted and calcimined. The building is now in good condition, and adequately cares for the first two grades. This leaves seven grades in the Center School, which can accommodate them only so long as at least one grade is small enough to use the small recitation room. It seems to the Committee that there is no immediate prospect that the 9th grade will be too large to be so cared for. When that time comes, however, there will be no alternative but to enlarge the present schoolhouse, or to erect another building, at which time provision should be made for enough rooms to

house all nine grades at the Center School, with due consideration given to the possible necessity for a High School at some time in the future.

In making final recommendation to the town, the Committee has considered the advantages and disadvantages of continuing to operate the South School. It seems to the Committee that this additional expense of operation is not much greater than would be the expense of operating an addition to the present school building. In a central plant there would probably be a small saving in fuel. The extra expense for janitor service could perhaps be cut \$100 yearly. It is doubtful if **any saving** could be made in transportation, as the barges are now crowded to capacity and if the children from the south part of the town who now attend the South School were carried to the Center, additional transportation would have to be furnished, which would doubtless cost more than under the present arrangement by which Mr. Doherty carries those children who attend the first and second grades from the north, east and center of the town, on his return trip.

If an addition at the Center were now authorized, proper provision should be made for a room or rooms in which the children could find recreation during recess on stormy days, and also for a general assembly room. These two features could be easily combined. Modern schoolhouse construction demands them both. It is evident that proper indoor recreation facilities should be provided for the children. An assembly room is desirable, but not necessary.

The operation of the South School is desirable in that it greatly relieves the crowded condition of the school barge. The School Committee quite properly placed the first two grades in this school for the following reasons: the necessity of transporting the children of the north, east and center of the town to the South School makes necessary a shorter session in the South School, not only at the start of the school day, but

also at its close, so that the barges may be ready to leave the Center School at its closing hour. The upper grades cannot afford this loss of time. The shorter session is a distinct advantage to the 1st and 2nd grades, not only because they do not need the longer hours, but because at their age the children becomes less fatigued and consequently do better work particularly towards the close of the school day. In addition, the small children are able to play by themselves. In every school there is the problem of restraining the older boys from teasing the younger ones. This teasing, done thoughtlessly, of course, and without malice, is unfortunately a part of the human nature of a boy, and is a disagreeable and often a detrimental feature in the early school years of the younger children. The placing of these grades by themselves of course solves this problem.

No two upper grades can be cared for in the South School, because under the present system of classes, the best results can be obtained by employing a teacher as instructor in all the upper grades on those subjects in which he or she has specialized. For instance, the higher mathematics of grammar school can be taught by one teacher in all the upper grades, and the other subjects in a similar way. The teachers for these grades are selected with this in view, and it can be readily seen that greater advancement will be effected and the work can be better carried on from class to class by this method than by any arrangement where each teacher instructs in all the subjects in one grade.

There is one big objection to the use of the South School. This is that the children of North and East Lincoln must be transported not only to the Center School, but from there to the South School, which in severe weather is not desirable unless great care is exercised that all those so transported are taken into the Center School to become thoroughly warm before starting for the South School. In addition, the problem

of supervision becomes more difficult, although from now on, being required by law to employ a union superintendent instead of a teaching superintendent, this problem will not be a serious one.

The Committee believes that the town does not wish to spare any expense in order to obtain for our children the best education that can be imparted to them, and that when such education is assured insofar as that is possible, that most rigid economy must be practised in the expenditure of the money of the citizens of the town. Believing that the education of our children will not suffer at present through the maintenance of the South School, and after carefully considering the advantages and disadvantages of this plan, the Committee recommends to the town that no action be taken at present to enlarge the Center School plant, but, that the town keep watchful eye upon the situation, so that when and if the large size of the present lower grades is maintained as these grades pass on through the school, that the town will be prepared to build for them such an enlargement or addition to the present building as at that time careful study for future needs will determine.

CHESTER G. PECK,
GEORGE G. TARBELL,
ANTHONY J. DOHERTY,
EDITH B. FARRAR,
C. LEE TODD,
THOMAS J. DEE,

Committee.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF LINCOLN
FOR THE
SCHOOL YEAR 1922



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, <i>Chairman</i> ,	Term expires 1925
GEORGE G. TARBELL, <i>Secretary</i> ,	Term expires 1923
EDITH B. FARRAR (MRS.)	Term expires 1924

Superintendent of Schools

CHARLES H. MORSS, Resigned

Principal

CHARLES M. ROBINSON

Teachers

Junior High Grades VII-VIII-IX

ELIZABETH S. CAVERNO

MARION D. PARKER

Grammar Grades V-VI

MARY D. WADE

MYRTLE C. ELLIOTT

Grammar Grade IV

OLIVE G. RICH

Primary Grade III

JENNIE M. WHEATON

Primary Grade II

VERA B. ALLEN

Primary Grade I

ELLA WESTON, Resigned

JOSEPHINE C. DOHERTY

Manual Training and Drawing

ERNEST T. THOMPSON, Resigned

School Physician

DR. HENRY E. WOOD

School Nurse

CAROLYN VIETS

Attendance Officer

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Janitor

EDWARD GRAF

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Winter Term, first half, begins Tuesday, January 2, 1923, ends Friday, February 16, 1923; seven weeks.

Winter Term, second half, begins Monday, February 26, 1923, ends Friday, April 13, 1923; seven weeks.

Spring Term begins Monday, April 23, 1923, ends Friday, June 15, 1923; eight weeks.

Fall Term begins Tuesday, September 4, 1923, ends Friday, December 21, 1923.

Winter Term begins Wednesday, January 2, 1924.

Length of school year, 1923-1924, thirty-eight weeks.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The Committee at its first meeting for the year 1922, organized with Anthony J. Doherty as Chairman and George G. Tarbell as Secretary.

For the first time in a number of years and with a great deal of satisfaction to the Committee, it has been able to report very few changes in the "Teaching Staff." This is attributed to the fact that all teachers re-engaged receive an increase in salary of one hundred dollars a year for Elementary teachers until the maximum of fifteen hundred dollars is reached, and one hundred and fifty dollars a year for High School teachers, until a maximum of sixteen hundred fifty dollars a year is reached. This plan now in force has resulted in the Committee being able to retain practically all teachers of the previous year and at salaries more in keeping with the average paid in other towns included in the group of which Lincoln is a part.

The past year saw the opening of the South School, both rooms, and the removal of grades one and two from the Center School. This arrangement has greatly relieved the congestion existing at the Center School and provides room that has been sadly needed there for some time, and if continued will obviate the necessity of providing a new building or any addition to the present building in the Center, at least for the present. There is one feature, however, in connection with the opening of the South School, that is a draw-back; that is the transportation of the children of these two grades who come from the North and East sections of the Town. This makes for

them a much longer ride, and in the Winter months, carries with it certain inconveniences. If, however, motor transportation could be provided for the North section, the objection of long time on the road, the principal inconvenience, would be eliminated to a very great extent. The Committee have great hopes of bringing about in some way an arrangement whereby the children of the North section will have this motor transportation. Grade one at the South School has now a membership of 32 and grade two, a membership of 24; thus taking from the Center School a total of 56, or about one-fourth of the full membership of the Lincoln Schools. This change has both its advantages and disadvantages. The chief advantage being that the younger children are by themselves and not in contact with the larger and older children. The chief disadvantage being that these grades do not have the supervision they would naturally have if all were in one building. On the whole, however, the change appears to be working out very satisfactorily.

But few changes in the matter of transportation were necessary during the past year. It is quite obvious, however, that changes will have to be made in the future as the vehicles of transportation on several of the routes are greatly overcrowded and not satisfactory from several points of view. The congestion as applied heretofore to membership in the Center School is equally applicable to the matter of transportation.

At the close of the Fall term in December, the resignation of Mr. Morss as Superintendent of Schools took effect, he having reached the retirement age and being eligible to apply for a pension. During his services of five years, Mr. Morss established a complete reorganization of the schools, thereby greatly increasing their efficiency. He also was able to keep in close touch with those of our pupils attending High School at Concord and Waltham. The introduction of the ninth grade

of Junior High School during his Supervision has, in a great measure, helped to bridge a gap that had for some time existed between the Eighth Grade of the Lincoln Schools and the Ninth Grade or First Grade of the High School at Concord. This he brought about by adopting certain of the courses as given in these grades in the Concord Schools. Mr. Morss brought to Lincoln Schools a valuable experience attained by long and active service as a Teacher and Administrator in the public schools of Massachusetts and also outside of the State of Massachusetts; that Lincoln Schools have received the benefit from this service and experience, there is no question. The School Committee wishes to recognize this service and extends to Mr. Morss their well wishes for a long and well deserved period of rest.

Upon the resignation of Mr. Morss, the Committee were informed that Lincoln, under the law, was obliged to enter a Superintendency Union with other towns and could not employ a Superintendent of its own as heretofore. After conferences with representatives of the State Board of Education, the matter was left in abeyance pending negotiations with other towns with the view of planning a combination that would be suitable and effective. Your Committee were then confronted with the task of securing a man to fill the position of principal and were fortunate in being able to engage Mr. Charles M. Robinson, who at the time held the position of Sub-Master in the High School at Sharon. The Committee feels that it was doubly fortunate in engaging Mr. Robinson in that he could come to Lincoln at the beginning of the January term, thus taking up the work where it was left off by Mr. Morss.

School Finances

During the past year the tuition of our High School pupils attending Concord High was again raised so that the Town

is now paying the amount of One Hundred Twenty-five Dollars per year with 5% off for payment within thirty days. This as compared with Waltham, where the tuition charge is Seventy-five Dollars per year, makes a very substantial difference in the cost of attendance at the two places. Our present enrollment at Concord is 32 pupils and at Waltham 2. Other than the increase in High School tuition as above, and the yearly increase in the salaries of the teachers, there has been very little increase in the past year over that of the previous year in the running expenses of the schools. There is one exception, however, that of the District Nurse, for whose services the School pays the sum of Four Hundred Dollars a year.

In the year 1922, there has been received from the Commonwealth and other sources, the amount of \$3,528.44, as is shown on summary of school expenses for the year 1922, included in this report.

To carry on the school work for the year 1923 will require an appropriation of \$29,500.00. The excess over that of last year is due to the general increase in the salaries of the teachers, the proportionate part to be paid toward the salary of a Union Superintendent, and the additional expense in connection with the conducting of the South School. This sum is recommended by the Committee.

The Committee would recommend also that the Town make an appropriation sufficient to properly grade the Center School grounds. This is work that should be done for the protection of the children who use the grounds for their different forms of play and recreation and for which the grounds are not entirely suitable or safe.

Owing to the resignation of Mr. Morss, there has been no Superintendent's report prepared. That part of the Super-

intendent's report, however, relating to school statistics is hereto annexed and made a part of this report.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY,
GEORGE G. TARBELL,
MRS. EDITH B. FARRAR.

Statistics for Year Ending June 30, 1922

Pupils enrolled,	223
Boys,	118
Girls,	105
Pupils for whom town paid tuition elsewhere,	36
Non-resident pupils attending school in Lincoln,	20-30
Average daily attendance,	191
Number of days schools were in session,	179
Average membership,	207
Registration of minors, April 1, 1922:	
5 years and under 7,	20
7 years and under 14,	164
14 years and under 16	35
16 years and under 21,	4
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Membership by Age and Grade, June 30, 1922

Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Total
Grade I.		20	8										28
II.			12	17	4	0	1	1					35
III.			1	11	11	3	1						27
IV.				1	10	8	5	5	2	2			33
V.					2	10	11	3	1				27
VI.							3	5	7	5	1		21
VII.								5	7	7	2	1	22
VIII.								2	5	6	4	3	20
IX.								2	0	1	7		10
Total		20	21	29	27	21	21	23	22	21	14	4	223

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES FOR YEAR 1922

Salaries, Supt., Teachers and Janitor	\$12,931.50
School Supplies	1,176.82
High School Tuition	5,030.94
High School Transportation	1,191.28
Miscellaneous	263.34
Local Transportation	3,059.55
Fuel	999.88
Physician and Nurse	686.73
New Equipment	297.30
Barge Repairs	20.50
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	\$25,657.84

RECEIPTS ON ACCOUNT OF SCHOOLS

Com. of Mass. School Fund	\$294.36
Com. of Mass. High School Transportation (1920)	574.20
Com. of Mass. Tuition of Children	921.00
Com. of Mass. General School Fund	1,510.00
Com. of Mass. Vocational and Industrial Schools	26.45
Trustees Grammar School Fund (1921)	61.21
South School Coal	102.00
Materials and Damage	9.33
Rebate New Eng. Tel. and Tel. Co.	29.89
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	\$3,528.44

NOTICE:

Business Meeting, Monday, March 5th, at 1 P. M.

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said
County: GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote at Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Monday, the fifth day of March next at one o'clock P. M., then and there to act on all of the following Articles, except Article 2, and to meet in said Town Hall on Tuesday, the sixth day of March next at 12:30 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following Article 2, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the fifth day of March next:

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Tuesday, March 6th, will be open at 12:30 o'clock P. M. and may be closed at 6.30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other officers required by law to be elected by Australian ballot:

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector for one year.

One Auditor for one year.

Two Constables for one year.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of Trustees for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

Also to vote "Yes" or "No" upon the following question :

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages in this Town?"

ART. 3. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees and officers required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

ART. 4. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

ART. 5. To appropriate money for necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

ART. 6. To determine the manner of collecting taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 7. To determine the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year, beginning January 1st, 1923, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor payable in one year from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will authorize any extension of street lighting or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will authorize any extension of water pipes or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will authorize the employment of a Visiting Nurse or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200, or some other amount and elect a director, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the County Agricultural Trustees of the Middlesex County Bureau of Agriculture and Home Economics, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will acquire, by purchase or otherwise, sufficient land for a playground or athletic field and appropriate any money for the same, or take any action in relation thereto.

HEREOF FAIL NOT.

And make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 12th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

The Committee, to whom was referred the question of preparing a new set of By-Laws or amending those already in existence, report minor changes in the present By-Laws. These are presented to the Town for such action in the premises as they think best:

Proposed By-Laws of the Town of Lincoln

"ARTICLE I.

TOWN MEETINGS.

Section 1. The annual town meeting shall be held on the first Monday of March in each year.

Sect. 2. Notice of every town meeting shall be given by posting copies of the warrant calling the same, attested by the officer making service thereof, in each of the post-offices within the town, and in one of the churches, or one other public place, within the town, not less than seven days before the day appointed for such meeting. But when, in the judgment of the selectmen, the interests of the town require a meeting to be held without giving so long a notice, a meeting may be called by posting attested copies of the warrant in the places above mentioned, and by leaving a printed copy thereof at each dwelling-house within the town, at least three days before the time appointed for the meeting; provided that in such cases the selectmen shall certify that, in their opinion, the interests of the town require that a town meeting be called upon a notice of less than seven days, which certificate shall be made upon, or attached to, the original warrant, and shall be served as a part thereof.

ARTICLE II.

FINANCES.

Section 1. The financial year shall commence with the first day of January and end with the thirty-first day of December annually.

Sect. 2. The town treasurer shall have the custody of all funds belonging to the town except sinking funds, trust funds and funds for which other provision is made by law; and he shall pay no money from the treasury except upon a draft signed by a majority of the selectmen, stating the account to which the same is chargeable. Such draft shall be sufficient authority to the treasurer to pay the same, and the payment thereof shall discharge him from all liability on account of the money so paid.

Sect. 3. The water commissioners and all other boards, committees and officers shall, on the first day of each month, pay to the town treasurer all sums collected by them the month previous to the custody of which the treasurer is entitled.

Sect. 4. A majority of the water commissioners, school committee, or of any board, or committee, and any officer having charge of the expenditure of an appropriation, shall approve in writing all accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls properly chargeable to such appropriation, and shall transmit the same with his or their approval to the selectmen. All other accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls shall be examined by the selectmen and, if proper, shall be approved by them. The selectmen shall label all accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls which have been approved either by themselves or by the other officers before mentioned, and shall keep a record thereof in a book kept for the purpose, stating the persons to whom payable, the amounts and dates thereof, and the funds, or appropriations, from which the same are payable.

Sect. 5. Drafts signed by a majority of the selectmen, stating the accounts to which the same are chargeable, shall be drawn upon the treasurer for the payment of all sums by law payable from the treasury to the commonwealth or county, final judgments of courts, bonds, notes, and scrip of the town and interest thereon and money payable to the commissioners of the sinking fund and to the trustees of the public library; and also for the payment of all accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls which have been approved in the manner provided in the previous section. Such drafts shall not be negotiated, but shall be transmitted by the selectmen directly to the treasurer accompanied by the approved bills or other documents for the settlement of which the drafts are drawn.

Sect. 6. The treasurer shall file and safely keep all approved and receipted accounts, claims, bills, and pay-rolls, and all vouchers, cancelled bonds, notes, scrip, and other evidences of indebtedness of the town which have been paid from the treasury.

Sect. 7. No draft shall be drawn by the selectmen unless there is sufficient appropriation to pay the same, except for sums by law payable to the commonwealth or county, final judgments of courts, bonds, notes and scrip of the town and interest thereon, and money payable to the commissioners of the sinking fund.

Sect. 8. The selectmen and treasurer respectively shall make a record, in a book kept for the purpose, of each appropriation, with a list of the drafts drawn against such appropriation, and shall make a record of all bonds, notes, scrip or other evidence of indebtedness of the town, signed or countersigned by them.

Sect. 9. When the bills contracted or approved by any board, committee, or officer have exhausted the entire appropriation for such board, committee or officer, they shall

incur no further expenditure, except in cases where such expenditure may be required by law; and it shall be the duty of each board, committee or officer before the close of the financial year to approve all accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls chargeable to their appropriation. During the interval between the thirty-first day of December in each year and the time of making the next annual appropriations, the selectmen, school committee and water commissioners, in order to meet the liabilities of their several departments, incurred in the carrying on of the work entrusted to them, shall have authority to make expenditures and payments from the treasury from any available funds therein, and the same shall be charged against the next annual appropriation. Such expenditures and liability incurred for any purpose shall not exceed one-fourth the entire amount appropriated for that purpose in the previous year.

Sect. 10. Unless the town shall expressly otherwise vote, no extension of water pipes shall be made unless before the work of construction is begun one or more of the persons whom it is proposed to supply with water by means of such extension, shall file with the town clerk a bond with sureties satisfactory to the water commissioners, conditioned to pay to the town for five years next following the completion of such extension and the letting of water into the same, a sum sufficient, together with the net annual income from such extension, to amount annually to five per centum of the total cost thereof.

ARTICLE III.

TOWN SEAL.

Section 1. The design of the town seal shall be: a circle, in the border the words "Lincoln. Incorporated in 1746 as a precinct; in 1754 as a Town"; in the center, a shield, in

the chief or upper part of which on a cross, gules, a fleur-de-lis, gold, from the old seal of Lincoln, England, and in the base of the shield a view of the present town hall; crest, the old chestnut tree standing upon the common in Lincoln; in saltire two shepherd's crooks; the device thereof being as follows:

Sect. 2. All deeds and other legal documents made, given or entered into by the town requiring a seal shall be sealed with the town seal, and signed in behalf of the town by a majority of the selectmen.

Sect. 3. The town clerk shall have the custody of the town seal.

ARTICLE IV.

RECORDS.

Section 1. The town clerk shall record in full in a book kept for the purpose all written contracts, deeds and other instruments to which the town is a party except such instruments as may by law be recorded in the Registry of Deeds; and it shall be the duty of any board or officer executing or receiving such written contract, or other instrument, to deliver the same forthwith to the town clerk for the purpose of record. It shall be the duty of the town clerk to see that all conveyances of real estate to the town are properly recorded in the Registry of Deeds.

Sect. 2. Except in cases of public calamity or extreme necessity, whenever any work is required to be done for the Town or any contract for labor or materials, or both is to be made in behalf of the Town, for an amount exceeding the sum of \$500.00, the town officer, having the matter in charge, shall solicit proposals for the same from two or more reliable parties, regularly engaged or employed in such work or business,

or shall publicly advertise for bids, but no contract shall be split, separated or divided for the purpose of reducing the amount thereof below said sum of \$500.00.

Sect. 3. The town clerk shall keep a file of all town reports, reports of all committees chosen by the town, and all original documents relating to the affairs of the town which may come into his possession.

ARTICLE V.

BOOKS.

Section 1. Books, records and laws received by the town from the commonwealth shall be deposited in the public library building.

Sect. 2. It shall be the duty of the town officer by whom any book mentioned in the preceding section is received, to cause the same to be at once deposited in the public library building.

Sect. 3. Such books may be used by the inhabitants of the town within such building, and may be taken therefrom upon written receipt to the librarian for a period not exceeding one day at any one time for use in any town meeting, or by or before any committee or official of the town.

ARTICLE VI.

SUITS AND CONTROVERSIES.

Section 1. The selectmen may compromise claims and suits to which the town is a party, provided that they shall act upon the advice of counsel when the amount claimed by or against the town exceeds \$200.00.

Sect. 2. The selectmen shall have, unless it is otherwise voted by the town, full authority as agents of the town to institute and prosecute suits or other proceedings in the name of the town before any tribunal, to appear and represent or defend the town before any tribunal in all suits and other proceedings against the town or in which the town has an interest, to employ counsel for the purpose aforesaid and for other purposes when it may be expedient to do so, and to take all necessary and proper measures for the protection of the interests and rights of the town.

Sect. 3. If the town shall, at any meeting called for the purpose, choose a committee on claims, such committee shall have and exercise exclusively all the powers and duties conferred upon the selectmen by the two preceding sections.

ARTICLE VII.

REPORTS AND PUBLICATIONS BY THE TOWN.

Section 1. The annual reports of the town officers, boards and committees shall be prepared in form suitable for printing on or before the tenth day of February in each year. The selectmen shall cause such reports to be printed and distributed to the legal voters of the town seven days at least before the annual meeting.

Sect. 2. The selectmen shall cause to be printed and bound each year with the annual reports of the town officers, boards and committees, a copy of the records of the town meetings during the preceding year; a statement of all devices, bequests and donations to the town during the preceding year; a list of all laws of the commonwealth accepted by the town during the year; all by-laws adopted by the town since the preceding annual report; and a statement of all outstanding bonds, notes and obligations of the town for the payment of money.

Sect. 3. The selectmen shall from time to time cause to be printed a sufficient number of copies of the by-laws of the town and shall incorporate therewith a list of the laws of the commonwealth which have been accepted by the town.

ARTICLE VIII.

TRUANTS.

Section 1. Any minor being an habitual truant, and any child between the ages of seven and fifteen years found wandering about the streets or public places within the town having no lawful occupation or business, not attending school, and growing up in ignorance, and such children as persistently violate the reasonable rules and regulations of the public schools, may upon conviction thereof be committed to the Middlesex County Truant School at Chelmsford, Mass., or to any other place provided by the town within its limits, for confinement, instruction, and discipline.

ARTICLE IX.

PUBLIC REGULATIONS.

Section 1. No person shall coast upon any public street or part thereof after the selectmen have posted a notice prohibiting coasting upon such street or part thereof.

Sect. 2. No person, unless authorized by law, shall break or dig up any part of any street without a written permit therefor from the selectmen. Every person who after obtaining such permit shall obstruct or render unsafe any public street, shall guard the same by a proper fence or railing, and by lights during the night time, subject to the approval of the selectmen. Such permit may be revoked at any time.

Sect. 3. No person shall be or remain in any doorway, or upon any stairs, doorstep, portico or other projection from any house or building, or upon or against any wall or fence on or near any street or public place, after having been requested by the owner or any occupant of the premises or by any constable or police officer to remove therefrom.

Sect. 4. No person shall make, write, print, paint, cut or post any indecent or obscene marks, words, figures or signs upon any fence, building, post, tree or other object exposed to public view.

Sect. 5. No person shall wilfully injure, mar, deface or destroy any fence, signboard, guideboard, lamp-post, lamp or lantern in any street or public place, nor extinguish any street light, nor extinguish or remove any light placed to denote an obstruction or a defect in any public street or way, without proper authority to do so.

Sect. 6. Any person who shall offend against any of the provisions of this article shall forfeit and pay, for each offense, a sum not exceeding twenty dollars."

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
CONRAD S. HATHEWAY,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
Committee.

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REPORT OF THE OFFICERS
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TOWN OF LINCOLN

FOR THE YEAR 1923

ALSO
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TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1923-24

Town Clerk.

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

CHARLES S. SMITH (Chairman)	. . .	Term expires	1924
JOHN F. FARRAR	. . . . .	" "	1925
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	. . . . .	" "	1926

Assessors.

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN	. . . . .	Term expires	1926
WILLIAM C. PEIRCE	. . . . .	" "	1925
HERBERT G. FARRAR	. . . . .	" "	1924

Treasurer.

C. LEE TODD

Collector of Taxes.

THOMAS S. GILES

Auditor.

JAMES W. LENNON

Constables.

JOHN J. KELLIHER
GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM

School Committee.

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY (Chairman)	Term expires	1925
EDITH B. FARRAR	" "	1924
GEORGE G. TARBELL	" "	1926

Water Commissioners.

JOHN J. KELLIHER	Term expires	1925
SUMNER SMITH	" "	1926
ROBERT R. HUNTER	" "	1924

Board of Health.

ROBERT D. DONALDSON	Term expires	1926
GEORGE G. TARBELL	" "	1924
MARTIN M. WELCH	" "	1925

Tree Warden.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Commissioners of Trust Funds.

CHARLES S. SMITH
C. LEE TODD
*DONALD GORDON

Trustees of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures.

EDWARD F. FLINT (Chairman)
C. LEE TODD
*DONALD GORDON

*Deceased.

Cemetery Commissioners.

CHARLES S. SMITH	Term expires	1924
EDWARD F. FLINT	" "	1925
FRITZ CUNNERT	" "	1926

Field Drivers.

DAVID C. BOWEN
JOHN E. McHUGH

Fence Viewers

DAVID C. BOWEN
WILLIAM H. SHERMAN

Surveyor of Lumber

ELMER A. ROLLINS

Measurers of Wood and Bark.

JOHN F. FARRAR

ELMER A. ROLLINS

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY

JOHN T. CLARK

Trustees of Lincoln Library.

GEORGE G. TARBELL

JOHN F. FARRAR

C. LEE TODD

CHARLES S. SMITH, *Chairman Selectmen ex-officio*

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, *Chairman School Committee ex-officio*
Registrars.

CHARLES S. SMITH

JOHN F. FARRAR

ROBERT D. DONALDSON

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE

Special Police appointed by the Selectmen for 1923, sworn by Town Clerk

MATTHEW H. DOHERTY

FREDERICK H. POLLARD

J. REDMAN HARTWELL

WILLIAM M. HILLIARD

HERBERT G. FARRAR

HECTOR MacLEAN

ISAAC LANGILLE

The following persons have been appointed by the Police Commis-

sioner of the City of Boston, as Railroad Police Officers of and for the Boston and Maine Railroad under date of June 2nd, 1923.

ERNEST G. BISHOP

JOHN McCOLGAN

ROBERT E. O'CONNOR

JOHN E. O'BRIEN

JOHN F. RYAN

HOWARD J. TRIMNELL

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,

Town Clerk.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Proceedings of a Town Meeting held
March 5, 1923

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said
County: GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote at Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Monday, the fifth day of March next at one o'clock P. M., then and there to act on all of the following Articles, except Article 2, and to meet in said Town Hall on Tuesday, the sixth day of March next at 12:30 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following Article 2, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the fifth day of March next:

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Tuesday, March 6th, will be open at 12:30 o'clock P. M. and may be closed at 6.30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other officers required by law to be elected by Australian ballot:

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector for one year.

One Auditor for one year.

Two Constables for one year.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of Trustees for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

Also to vote "Yes" or "No" upon the following question:

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages in this Town?"

ART. 3. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees and officers required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

ART. 4. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

ART. 5. To appropriate money for necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

ART. 6. To determine the manner of collecting taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 7. To determine the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year, beginning January 1st, 1923, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor payable in one year from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will authorize any extension of street lighting or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will authorize any extension of water pipes or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will authorize the employment of a Visiting Nurse or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200, or some other amount and elect a director, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the County Agricultural Trustees of the Middlesex County Bureau of Agriculture and Home Economics, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will acquire, by purchase or otherwise, sufficient land for a playground or athletic field and appropriate any money for the same, or take any action in relation thereto.

HEREOF FAIL NOT.

And make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 12th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

The following return is on the back of the Warrant:

Feb. 24, 1923.

I have served this warrant by posting an attested copy one in each of the Post Offices and one at the Railroad Station seven days before date of said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,

Constable.

Pursuant to the above Warrant the meeting was called to order at 1 o'clock P. M. by the Town Clerk. Warrant read by Town Clerk.

ART. 1. George G. Tarbell was chosen Moderator.

Voted to adjourn the meeting until 1.30 P. M.

The meeting was called to order at 1.30 P. M.

ART. 3 was taken up with the following result:

Field Drivers.—

David C. Bowen (Sworn)

John E. McHugh

Fence Viewers.—

David C. Bowen (Sworn)

William H. Sherman (Sworn)

Surveyor of Lumber.—

Elmer A. Rollins (Sworn)

Measurers of Wood and Bark.—

John F. Farrar (Sworn)

Elmer A. Rollins (Sworn)

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.—

Conrad P. Hatheway (Sworn)

John T. Clark

ART. 4. Voted. To accept the Reports of Town Officers, Commissioners, Committees, and Trustees as printed in the Town Report, except the School Committee's report. After some discussion the School Committee's report was accepted.

Voted to take up Article 13.

ART. 13. Voted. That the Moderator appoint a committee to confer with Miss Elsie Pierce regarding the acquisition of her land at the present time for use as a playground. The vote Yes 66, No 5. The Moderator appointed C. Lee Todd, David W. Mann, Francis N. Balch.

Voted to take up Article 4.

ART. 4. Voted. That the proposed By-Laws of the Town of Lincoln as presented by the Committee chosen at the last annual meeting be accepted.

ART. 5.

Appropriations.—

For Schools	\$22,000
“ Transportation of Children	5,500
“ Support of Poor	500
“ Highways and Bridges	12,000
“ Special Snow Work and Tractor	4,000
“ South Great Road (taken from money in Treasury	7,500
“ Library, Dog Tax and	800
“ Cemeteries (taken from Cemetery Fund)	500
“ Board of Health	500

“ Tree Warden (taken from money in Treasury)	3,500
“ Miscellaneous Expenses	8,000

Voted that \$7,000 be added to the Miscellaneous Expenses, such part as is necessary to be used for Street Lights in North Lincoln.

Voted that \$4,000 of this appropriation be taken from money in the Treasury.

For Hydrants and other Water Service (taken from money in Treasury)	2,400
“ Waltham Hospital Free Bed	300
“ Street Lamps	1,800
“ Fire Department	500
“ District Nurse	750
“ Payment of Water Bonds (taken from Water Works income)	1,000
“ Water Works Sinking Fund (taken from Water Works income)	1,500
“ Farm Bureau	200

* Voted to take up Art. 11.

ART. 11. Voted. That the Town appropriate the sum of \$750 to continue the Nursing Service for the fiscal year Jan. 1, 1923, to Dec. 31, 1923.

ART. 6. Voted. To collect the taxes in the same manner as last year.

ART. 7. Voted. That the compensation of the tax collector be the same as last year

ART. 8. Voted. That the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the

municipal year beginning January 1, 1923, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor payable in one year from the date thereof, all debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. Voted. The appropriation of \$7,000 be added to the miscellaneous expense account.

Moved to adjourn. Motion not carried.

Motion made that \$800 be appropriated for lights in East Lincoln. Motion not carried.

Voted. That \$100 be appropriated for street lights from the house of Timothy A'Hearn to the house of S. Rodman Snelling.

Voted to take up Article 3.

ART. 3. A motion was made that the Town appoint a committee consisting of B. E. Carlson, C. G. Clapp and George L. Cousins to purchase all the coal needed for the Town the present year, and report to the Town the price paid per ton, and the number of tons purchased, the same as other Towns.

Motion not carried.

ART. 10. Not acted upon.

ART. 12. Voted. That the Town appropriate the sum of \$200 for the County Agricultural Trustees of the Middlesex County of Agriculture and Home Economies.

ART. 13. A motion was made that the present playground committee consisting of Donald Gordon, Herbert G. Farrar, Anthony J. Doherty, Thomas S. Giles and Winslow A. Eaton together with the Selectmen be and are hereby authorized to purchase for the Town for playground purposes the lot consisting of at least four acres of land and being the same as recommended by said committee in its report submitted to the Town at this meeting, said land now belonging to the Codman heirs and located in the south part of the Town, and the sum of not over six thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

Motion not carried. Vote Yes 41, No 50.

Voted to adjourn.

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

Proceedings of the Annual Election of Town Officers, March 6, 1923

Meeting was called to order at 12.30 o'clock by the Moderator. Thomas J. Dee was sworn as Ballot Clerk, William M. Hilliard and Robert R. Hunter were sworn as Tellers.

The polls were then declared open. At 6.30 P. M. the polls were declared closed. There were 70 ballots cast, 49 men, 21 women having voted. This count agreed with the counter on the ballot box, and the check list used by the ballot clerk.

The following is the result of the ballot :

Town Clerk.—

William C. Peirce	64 votes
Blanks	6 “

Selectman for 3 Years.—

Robert D. Donaldson	58 votes
George G. Tarbell	5 “
Blanks	7 “

Assessor for 3 Years.—

William H. Sherman	66 votes
Blanks	4 “

Treasurer.—

C. Lee Todd	67 votes
Blanks	3 “

Collector of Taxes.—

Thomas L. Giles	61 votes
Blanks	9 “

Auditor.—

James W. Lennon	65 votes
Blanks	5 “

Constables.—

George E. Cunningham	54 votes
John J. Kelliher	53 “
William B. Riley	1 “

School Committee for 3 Years.—

George G. Tarbell	63 votes
Blanks	7 “

Water Commissioner for 3 Years.—

Sumner Smith	62 votes
Blanks	8 “

Board of Health for 3 Years.—

Robert D. Donaldson	57 votes
Earl F. Gates	2 “
Thomas F. Coan	1 “
Blanks	10 “

Tree Warden.—

John J. Kelliher	61 votes
Blanks	9 “

Cemetery Commissioner for 3 Years.—

Fritz Cunnert	61 votes
Blanks	9 “

Commissioner of Trust Funds for 3 Years.—

Donald Gordon	65 votes
Blanks	5 “

Trustee for Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures for 3 Years.—

Donald Gordon	62 votes
Fritz Cunnert	1 vote
Blanks	7 votes

Question.—

Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this Town.

Yes	18 votes
No	42 “
Blanks	10 “

Question.—

Shall the Town petition for the installation of an Accounting System, by the Commonwealth.

“This question is submitted under the provision of Chapter 516 Acts of 1922.”

Yes	12 votes
No	46 "
Blanks	12 "

Attest :

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

Proceedings of a Special Town Meeting
Held June 25, 1923

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
MIDDLESEX, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said County :

GREETING :

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote at Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Monday, the 25th day of June next at eight o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following Articles, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the 25th day of June next :

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to grade the schoolhouse grounds and appropriate money for same, or take any action with reference to the matter.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will appropriate any additional money for school expenses for the current year.

HEREOF FAIL NOT.

And make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 15th day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

Lincoln, June 18, 1923.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and one at the Railroad Station, seven days before date of said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

Pursuant to the above Warrant the meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk, who read the Warrant.

ART. 1. Henry E. Warner was chosen Moderator.

ART. 2. Voted. That a committee of five be authorized to have the schoolhouse grounds properly graded for a playground for the school children, also in such a way that there may be a good baseball field for the use of the citizens of the Town, and sufficient money be appropriated to be taken from the surplus in the Treasury. That this committee consist of the Selectmen and two to be appointed by the Chair, or otherwise as the Town may determine.

The following men were nominated from the floor and voted unanimously, C. Lee Todd, and Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr.

Voted. To appropriate \$5,000. Money taken from the Treasury.

Voted. That the committee be authorized to receive donations for the playground.

ART. 3. Voted. To appropriate \$1,600 for school expenses for the current year. Money taken from the Treasury.

Voted to adjourn.

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

Births Registered

Date of birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
Mar. 18, 1879	John Patrick White	Thomas and Ellen (Cuff)
Jan. 11, 1922	George Brooks Thompson, Jr.	George B. and Agnes V. (Binns)
Sept. 29, 1922	Edward Napoleon Gilbert	Edward F. and Annie J. (O'Connell)
Jan. 3, 1923	Domenica De Meo	Sabatino and Maria (Granfelecio)
Jan. 14, 1923	Doriet Theresa MacLeod	Earl W. and Ethel L. (Bere)
Jan. 16, 1923	Ethel Martin	Angus W. and Lillian M. (Harvey)
Jan. 30, 1923	Pauline Lynch	James P. and Helen M. (Perkins)
Jan. 31, 1923	Charles Lee Tarbell	George E. and Eleanor M. (Fink)
Mar. 8, 1923	James Martin Neville, Jr.	James M. and Mary A. (Molloy)
Mar. 25, 1923	William Robert Doherty	Matthew H. and Elizabeth (Hunter)
Apr. 22, 1923	Costanza Incoronsta Catore	Angelo and Maria G. (Debrigario)
June 3, 1923	Edward Archibald Richardson	Edward A. and Edna A. (Jones)
June 30, 1923	——— Diamond	——— Katherine (Diamond)
July 31, 1923	Margaret Coan	Thomas F. and Annie (Crowley)
Aug. 18, 1923	Dorothy Silva	Manuel and Adeloina (Perry)
Aug. 18, 1923	Thomas Baskin Clark	Thomas and Catherine (Baskin)
Sept. 20, 1923	——— Rasmussen	Robert E. and Grace M. (Doucett)
Sept. 25, 1923	Alice Elizabeth Ryan	James T. and Mary J. (Norris)
Oct. 20, 1923	Kenneth Walter Kynett	Elmer O. and Frances (Willgoose)
Nov. 23, 1923	Phyllis Wentworth Watson	William E. and Claire L. (Wentworth)

EXTRACT FROM THE REVISED LAWS Chap. 29

AS AMENDED BY CHAP. 280, ACTS OF 1912

Sect. 1. Physicians and midwives shall, within forty-eight hours after the birth of every child in cases of which they were in charge, mail or deliver to the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which the birth occurred a notice stating the date and place of the birth, giving the street number, if any, the number of the ward in a city and the family name. Failure to mail or deliver the said notice shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars for each offence. The notice required by this Section need not be given if the notice required by the following Section is given within forty-eight hours after the birth occurs.

Sect. 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after the birth of a child in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the City or Town, in which such child is born.

Sect. 8. A parent, keeper, superintendent or other person who is required by Section 6 to give or cause to be given notice of a birth or death, who neglects so to do for ten days after the time limited therefor, shall forfeit not more than five dollars for such offence.

Deaths Registered

Date of Death	Name	Age		
		Y.	M.	D.
Jan. 3, 1923	Domenica De Meo	0	0	0
Jan. 17, 1923	John P. McElroy	75	0	0
Jan. 25, 1923	Ellie Bemis Wilkins	57	11	15
Feb. 8, 1923	James A. Butcher	77	10	13
Mar. 13, 1923	John Tasker	83	9	1
Mar. 23, 1923	Mary Isabel Smith	54	11	25
June 11, 1923	Louis Margonelli	28	11	25
July 5, 1923	Bertha W. Bent	38	2	8
July 5, 1923	——— Diamond	0	0	6
Aug. 19, 1923	John H. Murray	59	11	12
Sept. 9, 1923	Charles Stearns Wheeler	72	2	28
Sept. 19, 1923	Isaac Newton MacRae	49	3	8
Oct. 1, 1923	Elizabeth Heron	100	0	29
Oct. 2, 1923	Emily L. Sherwin	40	2	8
Oct. 8, 1923	Donald Gordon	46	6	8
Oct. 30, 1923	Joseph Volentukewraz	70	0	0
Nov. 6, 1923	Alice N. Codman	57	3	12
Nov. 14, 1923	Annabel Crenner Dudley	61	1	2
Dec. 15, 1923	George Lyman Cousins	49	7	24

There have been recorded during the year ending December 31, 1923, 12 Marriages, 20 Births, 19 Deaths.

Marriages Registered

Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
March 6, 1923	Ernest Brownell Ingham Muriel Catherine Burns	Concord Jct. Lincoln
April 8, 1923	Edward Francis Fahey Angela Mary Norris	Waltham Lincoln
April 26, 1923	Prentiss Shepherd Ellen Williams Eldredge	Wellesley Hills Lincoln
May 13, 1923	Harold Weston Jones Hazel Brooks	Tewksbury Lincoln
May 19, 1923	Frederick Bailey Augusta Hood	Lincoln Carlisle
June 21, 1923	John Fenwick Nicholson Ruth Evangeline Donaldson	Allston Lincoln
June 24, 1923	Charles Edward Woodhull Florence Evelyn Barrett	Lincoln Woburn
Sept. 18, 1923	Lester W. Seekins Martha M. Johansen	Lincoln Walliston
Oct. 3, 1923	Chester Herbert Sherman Edith Mary Clark	Lincoln Winchester
Oct. 24, 1923	Walter James Porter Mildred Frances Orton	Lincoln Salem
Nov. 29, 1923	George Carter Browning Helena Quigley	Lincoln Newton
Dec. 5, 1923	William John Burgess Katherine Margaret Ryan	Lincoln Lincoln

JURY LIST FOR 1923

As prepared by the Selectmen of Lincoln

JURY LIST FOR 1923

<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Occupation</i>
Adams, John	South Lincoln	Business Man
Coburn, Edward S.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Carlson, Benjamin E.	Lincoln	Farmer
Codman, Thomas N.	South Lincoln	Retired
Cousins, Harold S.	Lincoln	Farmer
Crook, Russel G.	South Lincoln	Sculptor
Cunningham, Frank H.	Concord, R. D.	Farmer
Davis, E. Russell	South Lincoln	Clerk
Dee, Thomas J.	Concord, R. F. D.	Farmer
Dougherty, Andrew J.	Lincoln	Farmer
Dougherty, Matthew F.	Waltham, R. F. D.	Carpenter
Ellms, Charles W.	South Lincoln	Carpenter
Farrar, John F.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Hamilton, D. Lincoln	Lincoln	Farmer
Mann, David W.	Lincoln	Professor
McHugh, John E.	Concord, R. F. D.	Farmer
Robus, William C.	Lincoln	Tel. Repairman
Stone, Edward M.	South Lincoln	Chauffeur
Tarbell, George G.	Lincoln	Farmer
Welch, Martin M.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Wheeler, C. Edgar	Lincoln	Farmer

Dogs Licensed in 1923

There have been 78 Dog Licenses issued to December 1, 1923, 55 Males, 19 Females, 4 Spayed Females, for which the sum of \$197.40 has been paid to the County Treasurer.

There have been issued 38 Combination Hunter's Certificates, 10 Hunting and Trapping Certificates, 7 Fishing Certificates for the year 1923, for which the sum of \$79.75 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game.

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

The Selectmen present the following report for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1923:

The Board was organized by the choice of Charles S. Smith, Chairman, and R. D. Donaldson, Secretary.

Appointments

The following appointments have been made during the year:

Sealer of Weights and Measures, John J. Kelliher.

Forest Warden, John J. Kelliher.

Weigher of Coal, Hay and other Commodities, Elmer A. Rollins.

Inspector of Animals, Martin M. Welch.

Janitor of Public Buildings and Caretaker of Public Grounds, Edward Bannon.

Special Police, Herbert G. Farrar, Winslow A. Eaton, J. Redmond Hartwell, Isaac Langille, John Campbell, Wm. M. Hilliard, Frederick Hart, Harry Patterson, Louis Frazier.

District Nurse Committee, Mrs. Robert G. Loring, Mr. George G. Tarbell, Mr. Robert D. Donaldson, Mrs. Edith B. Farrar.

The following table gives the appropriations made by the Town during the year 1923 and the appropriations recommended by the Board to be made at the next Annual Meeting:

	Appropriations for 1922	The Selectmen recommend the following appropriations for the ensuing year
For Schools, and	\$20,500.00	
Transportation of Children,	5,500.00	\$27,500.00
Support of Poor,	500.00	500.00
Highways and Bridges,	12,000.00	12,000.00
For Special Snow Work and Tractor,	4,000.00	.....
South Great Road (taken from money in treasury),	7,500.00	7,500.00
Library and Dog Tax,	800.00	800.00
Cemeteries (from Cemetery fund),	500.00	500.00
Board of Health,	500.00	500.00
Tree Warden,	3,500.00	2,500.00
Miscellaneous Expenses,	8,000.00	6,000.00
Hydrants and other Water Service,	2,400.00	2,400.00
Waltham Hospital Free Bed,	300.00	300.00
Street Lamps,	1,800.00	1,800.00
Fire Department,	500.00	500.00
District Nurse,	750.00	.....
Payment of Water Bonds (taken from Water Works income),	1,000.00	500.00
Water Works Sinking Fund (taken from Water Works income),	1,500.00	*
Farm Bureau,	200.00	.....
Extension Electric lighting Tower Road,	100.00	.....
Extension Electric lighting North Lincoln,	7,000.00	.....

*Sinking fund now provided should retire all sinking fund bonds at maturity.

The construction of a first-class macadam road in the South part of the Town has been continued with State and County aid, as in the four previous years. The construction as completed this year makes a continuous macadam road from the Weston line to the Concord line via Codman Road and Walden Pond. At an approximate cost of \$80,000, the expense has been divided as heretofore: one-third to the State, one-third to the County, and one-third to the Town. The Selectmen recommend that this special State and County aid construction work be continued and that the road from Lee's Bridge to the intersection at Bent's Corner be continued during the coming year, and that a proper appropriation be made therefor. The State and County have indicated that they are willing to have a beginning made on the construction of this line during the coming year.

The survey has been completed and the bounds set on the land taken for the road from the center of the Town to Farnsworth's Corner, and considerable preliminary work has been accomplished during the year at or near Farnsworth's Corner in order that the alignment of the road East of the corner and West of the corner may be more convenient than it has been heretofore. The necessity for construction in connection with the recent layout of this road, except that which has already been commenced, is not important. The Board had in mind more the proposed new pipe line on this road in connection with the Water Department than any important large expenditure in connection with new road construction, and all the preliminary work has now been done so that whenever the time comes, the Water Department or the Highway Department may proceed without any delay. It is important, however, that the Water Department complete its work before any considerable outlay is made in connection with the Highway Department.

A departure was made by the State this year in offering aid for the general upkeep of the Town roads as distinct from the

State roads, and the State has given the Town during the year upwards of \$3,000.00, which has been used in connection with the Town appropriation for the upkeep of the ordinary roads in the Town.

The Board thinks it advisable that a beginning be made in the construction of sidewalks on the principal streets of the Town and recommends an appropriation specifically for that purpose. The policy of constructing sidewalks once established may be continued from year to year without very much additional expense.

Early in the year when the roads were made almost impassable by the heavy and continuous snows, a Packard truck which was loaned to the Town by the State, and the tractor and plow which was purchased from the Town of Concord, were of great assistance in keeping the roads in passable condition. The necessity for their use the present winter up to the writing of this report has been very inconsiderable, but the Town has this equipment on hand and in condition for immediate use when the necessity arises. It has been demonstrated, it seems to the Board, beyond question, that for ordinary highway use a truck is infinitely more expensive than the horses, and its use should be and will be confined to places and seasons when and where it can be used more economically than the teams.

The appropriation last year for Miscellaneous expenses was very materially increased over that ordinarily made, on account of the proposed repairs to the Town Hall and the proposed extension of electric lighting in the North part of the Town.

The expense in connection with the repairs and improvements of the Hall, which have been practically completed, has been \$3,218.04. Considering the fact that the slate was removed for a considerable distance from the valleys and at the

edges of the roof, and copper put in its place; also considering the fact that the wind had stripped off a large part of the coping on the west side of the Hall, which was replaced, and that the Hall is now in as good if not better condition than when it was first constructed, no repairs of any considerable amount had been made since the year 1910, when \$6,500 was expended, \$2,500 only being contributed by the Town, it seems to your Board that, considering the Hall is used almost continuously, especially during the winter season, the expense in connection with its upkeep does not seem unreasonable.

On the completion of the repairs on the Hall, inasmuch as the Selectmen felt that the Hall had been more or less abused by the people who had used it in the past, the following rules were established governing its future use, of which the people who use the Hall should take notice.

October 11th, 1923.

*Rules established by the Selectmen for regulating the use
of the Town Hall.*

There shall be no smoking in the hall or corridors.

The piano shall not be removed from the stage, except the parties desiring to have it moved shall employ a regular piano mover and pay the expense of the same.

When refreshments are served, ice cream containers will not be allowed in the hall unless suitable water-tight tubs or other receptacles are provided for the same; otherwise the containers must be kept outside of the hall or in the basement.

When parties are held at which refreshments are provided, the parties using the hall shall be responsible for the cleaning of the hall afterwards.

Any damage, other than ordinary wear and tear, which is caused by any parties using the hall, shall be paid for by such parties.

At the last Annual Meeting the Town by a substantial majority of those present, which the Selectmen regret to say was a small minority of the voters of the Town, voted an appropriation of \$7,000.00 for the extension of electric lights in the North part of the Town. It is the observation of this Board that the voters generally desire that all sections of the Town, so far as possible, have the necessities and conveniences which other parts of the Town more centrally located enjoy, and undoubtedly it was this thought which influenced the voters to appropriate so large a sum for the purpose indicated. However, it became almost immediately apparent to the Selectmen that they could not legally use this money, as the Town did not own the lighting system, and it would be absolutely illegal for the Town to spend this money and make a present of it to the Edison Electric Illuminating Company, or to any other corporation, public service or otherwise, or even to any of its citizens. After a prolonged study and negotiations the Edison Electric Illuminating Company, which furnishes light and power to the Town, has agreed not only to extend the commercial lighting to the North part of the Town, but also to make the extension of electric lighting on Tower Road. For these extensions the Town appropriated \$7,100. They will be made without any expense to the Town. Although this construction has not yet been completed and in some cases not commenced, the following letter from the Edison people, which is satisfactory to the Selectmen, in connection with these matters is herewith printed:

**THE EDISON ELECTRIC ILLUMINATING
COMPANY OF BOSTON**

General Offices, 39 Boylston Street

BOSTON 10, MASS.

January 26, 1924.

Charles S. Smith, Chairman.

Dear Mr. Smith :—

In reply to your inquiry re extensions on Tower and State Roads, Lincoln, would say I have again taken this matter up with the Construction Department, who inform me that the petition for Tower Road has been submitted to the Telephone Company and they are ready to file their petition to the Town for the locations for joint ownership and construction of lines, which work will be done by the Telephone Company.

This petition will be before your Board next week, I am told, on the granting of which we are informed they are ready to go ahead with the construction.

State Road has all been surveyed and approved by the Telephone Company for joint construction with the Edison Company, and in the repricing it has been necessary to get the formal budget approvals which I am told by our Construction Department will be had not later than Wednesday of next week, when the final plans will be submitted to the Telephone Company, upon which they will then file the petition for the location before the Board. This, I am told, involves a reconstruction of about sixty telephone poles plus sixty new locations. These are but approximate figures, however.

It would appear from the information I now have that real action would begin on both of these construction jobs not later than next week.

Very truly yours,

E. C. KIMBALL,

Ass't. Supt. Sales Dept.

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On petition, also, the Edison Company has extended commercial lighting in the East part of the Town from its former terminus almost to the Waltham line. It should also be stated that in connection with these extensions no expense on account of street lighting present or future has been incurred.

The Selectmen have discovered that in accordance with the By-Laws of the Town any deed given by the Town must be executed by its Selectmen. It will be recalled that in the adjustment of the ownership of the Common, the deed of the Town to the First Parish was, by the vote of the Town, executed by a Committee consisting of Edward F. Flint, George G. Tarbell and C. Lee Todd. This was authorized because of the fact that two of the Selectmen were also members of the Parish Committee of the First Parish and it did not seem ethical to have deeds passed with two of the parties executing members of both organizations. In order, therefore, that the Parish may have a deed which cannot be questioned, the Town should now vote that a deed, in all respects like the deed executed in favor of the First Parish by the committee above named, should be executed by the Selectmen and given to the Parish, and the Selectmen recommend this authorization.

Economy in public expenditures has always been advocated by the present Board and principally on account of the attitude of the Board the tax rate in Lincoln has been more reasonable than in most of the Towns in the Commonwealth. Consistent scrutiny of the appropriations, however, is necessary in the future that this may continue, as it is our belief that the people in Lincoln as well as elsewhere desire to be relieved somewhat of the burden of taxes. It is gratifying that the National Government and the State Government both appreciate the necessity for action along this line. Some of the appropriations of money which are made for public objects cannot very well at the present time be reduced—it seems that others are less imperative and that reduced appropriations or elimination of appropriations altogether may be made without serious injury to

the public. Among these are the extraordinary appropriations which have been made for fighting the gypsy and brown tail moth, the appropriation for the District nurse, and the appropriation, though small, for the Middlesex Farm Bureau Extension Service. Some reduction in the appropriation for street lighting may at present or in the near future be advisable without any serious injury to any of the interests of the Town.

At a special Town Meeting in June the question of grading the schoolhouse grounds so that they might be more conveniently used not only as a playground for the children, but also for the general use of the citizens, was brought up and a special appropriation was made for the purpose. However, on account of various happenings it was too late in the season when the final plans and specifications were prepared to undertake the work. Also, all the contractors approached, with the exception of one, had on hand all the work that they could do during the season. The Selectmen, however, intend that the vote of the Town shall be carried out and that this work shall be done during the coming year, but they do not think it necessary that the Town make any special appropriation in connection with the matter. There has been received during the year, as will be noticed by reading the Treasurer's report, a special donation of \$5,000.00 with the following letter:

June 28, 1923.

C. Lee Todd, Esq.,
Treas. Town of Lincoln,
So. Lincoln, Mass.

Dear Sir:—

At the request of an anonymous donor I hand you herewith, as Treasurer of the Town of Lincoln, cheque for \$5,000.00, the principal thereof to be kept as a separate fund and known as the "LINCOLN RECREATION FUND," and the annual net income thereof to be expended for the recreation or amusement of the townspeople.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) JOHN F. MOORS.

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The name of the generous giver has not been divulged and the Selectmen are ignorant as to the same. However, it will be proper for the Town to extend a vote of thanks for this generous gift and to pass a vote or resolution that the money be turned over to the Commissioners of the Sinking and Trust Funds, the income to be used for the purposes indicated in the letter.

Finances

All of the original issue of \$55,000 of Schoolhouse bonds has been retired up to January 1, 1924, except \$3,000.00. The fund in the hands of the Sinking and Trust Fund Commissioners to retire these bonds is much larger than will be necessary, on account of the accumulation of interest which has been made since the Fund was first set apart, and it will be proper for the Town to vote what disposition shall be made of this surplus as soon as the remaining \$3,000.00 of bonds is retired.

The financial condition of the Town otherwise as on January 1, 1924, is as follows:

The outstanding bonded indebtedness on account of the Water Works, as reported by the Treasurer, is \$62,000.00; there is available in the Sinking Fund, to retire the bonds at maturity, securities and cash of the value of \$38,346.03 this, together with the reported uncollected water bills and current cash on hand of \$8,579.43 leaves a net indebtedness of \$15,074.54. The condition of the Water Works, both physically and financially, has been improving from year to year, and with proper management it seems reasonable to expect further improvement. The Water Department is still indebted to the Town Treasury for money advanced some years ago of \$4,712.00.

The Treasurer's report shows the balance in the treasury on January 1, 1924, of \$24,049.59. The Collector reports uncollected taxes on January 1, 1924, of \$4,122.38. There is due from the State and County unpaid balances on account of Cod-

man Road construction of \$4,500.00. The total available for the Treasury amounts to \$32,671.97, from which amount should be deducted the \$5,000 anonymous gift which is to be turned over to the Sinking and Trust Fund Commissioners.

The litigation which was in progress when the last Annual Report was made between the National Banks and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts was finally settled in such a manner that none of the money which had been collected from the National Banks and paid over to the cities and towns, should be returned to the banks, but the amount to be received in the future from that source will be very much less than has been collected heretofore.

The above statement of the financial condition of the Town is, so far as the Board remembers, the best statement which has ever been made, and it is the hope of this Board that the citizens may so wisely conduct the public business that the tax rate may be moderate and the treasury in a comfortable position at all times. The year 1923 is the first year in the recollection of the Chairman of this Board when the Town has not borrowed money in anticipation of taxes.

The business of the Town, as it has been conducted by the various officers and departments of the Town, is embodied in their printed reports.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. SMITH,

JOHN F. FARRAR,

ROBERT D. DONALDSON,

Selectmen of Lincoln.

The Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth, Division of Highways, has promulgated Rules and Regulations. It is for the Town to decide whether, in conformity with these Rules and Regulations, it will adopt By-Laws similar to the following:

SECTION 8. FORM OF ORDINANCE OR BY-LAW

To the end that ordinances and by-laws of cities and towns regulating outdoor advertising shall be, as far as possible, uniform in their provisions, the Division will approve any ordinance or by-law properly adopted by any city or town which is substantially in the form following:

No person, firm, association or corporation shall erect, display or maintain a billboard, sign or other outdoor advertising device, except those exempted by Sections 30 and 32 of Chapter 93 of the General Laws:—

- (h) No billboard, sign or other advertising device shall be erected, displayed or maintained in any block in which one-half of the buildings on both sides of the street are used exclusively for residential purposes; except that this provision shall not apply if the written consent of the owners of a majority of the frontage on both sides of the street in such block is first obtained and is filed with the Division of Highways of the Department of Public Works, together with the application for a Permit for such billboard, sign or other advertising device.
- (i) No billboard, sign or other advertising device shall be erected, displayed or maintained until a Permit therefor has been issued by the Division of Highways of the Department of Public Works pursuant to the following provisions: Upon receipt from said Division of a notice that application for a Permit to erect, display or maintain a billboard, sign or other advertising device within the limits of (city or town) has been received by it, the (Board of Aldermen or the Selectmen) shall hold a public hearing on said application in (city or town), notice of which shall be given by posting the same in three or more public places in said

(city or town) at least one week before the date of such hearing. A written statement as to the results thereof shall be forwarded to the Division, containing, in the event of a disapproval of such application, the reasons therefor, within thirty days from the date of notice to the (city or town) that an application for such a Permit had been made.

This (Ordinance or By-Law) shall not apply to signs or other devices which advertise or indicate either the person occupying the premises in question or the business transacted thereon, or advertise the property itself or any part thereof as for sale or to let; and provided further that this (Ordinance or By-Law) shall not apply to billboards, signs or other advertising devices legally maintained, at the time of its approval by the Attorney-General, until one year from the first day of July following such approval.

Whoever violates any of the provisions of this (Ordinance or By-Law) shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred (100) dollars, and whoever, after conviction for such violation, unlawfully maintains such billboard, sign or other outdoor advertising device for twenty (20) days thereafter shall be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred (500) dollars.

If any provision of this (Ordinance or By-Law) is declared unconstitutional or illegal by final judgment, order or decree of the Supreme Judicial Court of the Commonwealth, the validity of the remaining provisions of this (Ordinance or By-Law) shall not be affected hereby.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Board of Selectmen:

I submit herewith the following report for the year ending December 31, 1923:

The surfaces of the roads were well protected by the heavy snows last winter, thus preventing the action of the frost on them.

Practically no new work has been done on the crossroads. We have, however, built a few short stretches of gravel road; also filled in the ruts and scraped them.

Several times during the year the tar surfaced roads were patched, Tarvia B applied, and then covered with sand.

It has been my experience that oil or tarvia applied to the roads every year not only helps to hold them firm, but gives them a very hard surface.

Under the supervision of state and county engineers work was completed on the Codman road as far as Bent's corner, at an approximate cost of \$16,000, as follows:

Teams	\$ 1,260
Wood and coal	165
Stone	5,260
Asphalt	2,100
Sand and gravel	325
Steam roller	495
Superintendent and labor	6,000
Culvert pipe, etc.	200
Guard rail	150
Ledge work	300
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	\$16,255

It required five months to complete the work.

This department assisted the Moth department, handled work in the cemeteries that required attention, and kept the ashes cleared from the public buildings.

The following is a partial list of what the men and teams have done throughout this year :

JANUARY, FEBRUARY and MARCH

This department spent practically their entire time during these months breaking out roads and shoveling snow.

APRIL

To put the gravel roads in good condition for the summer it was necessary to scrape them and fill in the ruts during this month. However, part of the time was spent patching the tar surfaced roads and teaming sand.

MAY

Tarvia and oil were applied to the roads and sand teamed to cover same.

JUNE

In this month the roads in the outskirts of the town were oiled. Near the Water Basin gravel roads were built.

JULY, AUGUST, SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER and NOVEMBER

The men and teams worked on the road built by the State, County, and Town, in the south part of Lincoln ; also, patched roads requiring such work.

DECEMBER

Stone walls were built and the roads widened at Farnsworth's corner, and near Mr. Storrow's property.

Culvert pipe was required on several roads and this work was done.

Hills were scraped and gutters cleaned in preparation for the winter storms.

The money expended for maintenance this year is approximately as follows:

Hay, grain, etc.	\$ 1,215
Supplies	7,950
Repairs and horseshoeing	1,650
Outside snow work	2,300
Tractor and truck expense	2,750
Horses, carts and harness	1,250
Rent, water, light, etc.	530
Superintendent's salary, labor, etc.	6,820
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Total	\$24,465
Amount of credits due the Highway Department	5,500
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Total spent for Maintenance and upkeep of Highway Department	\$18,965

Four new horses were purchased, one horse sold, and one horse lost, through death, during the year.

Also, I purchased a double harness, and two new carts as some of the old carts were beyond repair.

I find the truck very useful on this work, but very expensive to operate, and therefore consider one sufficient. Horses are much more economical.

At the present time this department has six horses, two of which are getting old and will soon have to be exchanged for a new pair.

With the above exceptions the condition of the Highway department remains the same.

Guide board posts which were tumbling down in several places have been replaced by new ones, and on some roads I have had newly painted signs put in place. The condition of the others is the same as last reported.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,

Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF FIRE ENGINEERS

To the Board of Selectmen:

The Board of Fire Engineers herewith submit their 16th annual report ending December 31, 1923.

Force

The Fire Department consists of the following: One chief, five engineers and ten call men.

Apparatus

The apparatus belonging to the Department is as follows: Two combination trucks, twenty-five extinguishers, three ladders, 1,800 feet of hose, three axes and plaster hooks.

Location of Apparatus

No. 2 Combination Truck at Doherty's Garage, South Lincoln. No. 3 Ford Combination Truck at T. J. Dee Farm, Virginia Road.

Fires

During the past year the trucks have been called out as follows:

Truck No. 2—10 chimney, 26 grass and wood, 7 houses, 2 autos. Loss \$4,800.

Truck No. 3—1 chimney, 11 grass and wood, 1 house, 1 auto.

MATTHEW H. DOHERTY, *Chief*.

THOMAS DEE.

HERBERT FARRAR.

H. S. COUSINS.

J. J. KELLIHER.

ANDREW DOUGHERTY.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Jan. 7, 1924.

To the Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1923.

Number of herds of cows	73
“ “ milch cows	562
“ “ young stock	97
“ “ bulls	22
“ “ pigs	713
“ “ sheep	37
“ “ goats	4
“ “ cows quarantined	2
“ “ cows affected with tuberculosis	2
“ “ dogs affected with rabies	3
“ “ dogs quarantined and released	2

Respectfully submitted,

MARTIN M. WELSH,
Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF TOWN NURSE COMMITTEE

To the Board of Selectmen of Lincoln:

In compliance with your request for information for the town concerning the work of the Town Nurse Committee, I submit the following account of what has been done during the year just concluded.

During the first two months of the year Miss Viets was able to give us but little time on account of her illness, and at the end of February was finally obliged to resign. Her successor, Miss Mosher, was engaged early in April and remained until August, when she left to take up work among the Indians in the Southwest. Our present nurse, Miss Edith H. Backman, came on duty on October tenth, and has so far proved eminently satisfactory.

Owing to numerous inquiries, it seems advisable to state that the fact that Miss Backman lives in Waltham should deter no one from seeking her services at any time. She is in Lincoln daily, and at night may be reached by telephone. It is expected that she take emergency calls after hours, except, of course, during her legitimate recreation time. The best way to reach her is to call the Lincoln Central Office, where the operators can usually get in touch with her very quickly. Their willingness to help in this respect is very gratifying to the nurse and to the townspeople.

Mention should also be made of the co-operation of the local Red Cross organization, which has added so much to the efficiency of the nurse by furnishing her with means of transportation. During the past year the old car was replaced by a new coupe, which makes driving far more comfortable. It seems entirely fitting that your committee should take this opportunity of publicly thanking the Red Cross, on

behalf of the town, for their very valuable contribution to the success of the nursing project.

The arrangement with the town of Sudbury, whereby our nurse works one day a week in the Sudbury schools, has been in force during the past year. The sum of one hundred ninety-five dollars is still due the town for this outside work. Your committee knows of no reason why the same plan should not be followed throughout another year. Assuming that \$350.00 can be collected from Sudbury, and \$400.00 from our own School Committee, it would be necessary for the town to appropriate \$750.00, the same amount that was appropriated at the last annual meeting, to carry on the nursing work another year. It has been our experience that the fees collected by the nurse will in the long run balance her expenses, except the cost of upkeep of her car, and that is borne by the Red Cross.

A brief summary of the actual nursing work follows. It should be borne in mind in making comparisons that we have been without a regular nurse for practically five months during 1923. The nurse has visited the schools during a part of almost every session, and has made 228 follow-up visits to the homes. The number of treatments given school children in office is 134. Outside of the school work 149 nursing visits have been made, 42 office treatments given, 5 night calls answered, 35 infant welfare visits made, and 3 trips taken to clinics or hospital.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH B. FARRAR,
For the Committee.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1923

The following cases of contagious diseases have been reported during the year:

72 cases of Mumps.

33 cases of Measles.

12 cases of Whooping Cough.

6 cases of Scarlet Fever.

MARTIN M. WELCH,

R. D. DONALDSON,

GEO. G. TARBELL,

Members of the Board of Health.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby submit a report of all the money paid out by the Town Treasurer by order of the Selectmen of Lincoln.

I have visited Mr. Todd at his office and was shown all securities and investments held by him.

JAMES W. LENNON,

Auditor.

SCHOOLS

Payments

Town Treasurer, Teachers' Salary, including Janitor's Services	\$12,691.73
Mass. Teachers Retirement Fund, Retirement Fund	440.00
Boston & Main R. R. Student Tickets	900.00
City of Boston, Tuition	449.19
City of Waltham, Tuition	30.72
City of Somerville, Tuition	146.12
Town of Concord, Tuition	3,255.96
Town of Weston, Tuition	75.00
Town of Lexington, Tuition	60.00

Doherty's Garage, Transportation	4,799.00
Thomas J. Dee, Transportation	977.50
Oak Hill Farm, Transportation	225.00
William Conway, Transportation	185.00
John W. Nelson, Transportation	26.00
Frank Cunningham, Transportation	26.00
Harriet Lindsay, Transportation	9.75
Town of Lincoln, Nurse	400.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Services	27.17
Lincoln Water Works, Service	75.00
H. A. Wood, M. D., Professional Services	200.00
Charles S. Smith, Coal	740.71
Waltham Coal Co., Coal	236.25
Marcy Coal Co., Coal	30.20
George G. Tarbell, Wood	40.00
Edison Electric Light Co., Light	37.57
Edith B. Farrar, Taking Census	15.00
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	10.58
Herman T. Wheeler, School Pung	25.00
Herbert Negally, Repairs on Barge	14.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Repairs	2.25
T. F. Lyons, Repairs	15.45
Thomas J. McGann, Repairs	12.00
William C. Robus, Repairs on Bell	6.50
L. E. Bamforth, Repairs	4.98
Hollis & Howe, Repairs	1.50
George E. Cunningham, Mowing	12.00
George E. Cunningham, Sawing Wood	5.00
George E. Cunningham, Cleaning Cesspool	35.00
Ruth Robinson, Teaching	50.00
Isaac N. MacRae, Labor and Supplies	108.21
Kenny Bros. & Wolkins, Supplies	101.08
E. E. Babb & Co.	101.88
Ginn & Co.	69.73
Charles M. Robinson	45.40

Harris & Gilpatrick	33.89
Andrew Paper Co.	32.00
John C. Winston	44.10
McMillian Co.	17.04
American Book Co.	14.86
Jordan Marsh Co.	15.60
Milton Bradley Co.	13.74
C. Scribners	19.21
New Method Varnish Co.	12.25
D. C. Heath Co.	12.11
Little Brown Co.	11.69
Current Events	12.00
World Book Co.	13.55
Scott Foreman & Co.	9.07
George Johnson	9.50
Sager Electrical Supply Co.	6.40
Rollins Bros.	9.95
Henry A. Grimwood	5.77
Boston Regalia Co.	5.10
Benjiman Sanborn & Co.	5.79
The Cable Company	4.17
Ellsworth B. Reed	4.19
Boni & Liverwright & Co.	3.16
Ames Plow Co.	3.10
Library Bureau	2.45
Mendlesohins	2.15
Historical Outlook	2.00
Federal Stamp Co.	1.35
Burdett Silver Co.	1.36
Public School Publishing Co.	1.74
American Baptist Publishing Co.	1.41
Rand McNally Co.	.66
D. H. Knowlton Co.	.98
Teachers College	.74
Edwin Graf, Labor	28.00

Doherty Garage, Labor and Supplies

11.75

 \$27,093.56

HIGHWAYS

Payments

William H. Sherman, Supt. Labor on Highways	\$595.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	386.00
Timothy J. Crowley	383.25
Joseph E. Mahan	367.00
William H. Ryan	361.25
John W. Rooney, Sr.	160.65
John W. Rooney, Jr.	198.25
George M. Boyce	253.75
George C. Cunningham	298.00
John F. Farrar & Son	270.00
Andrew Doherty	82.88
Charles R. Butcher	66.68
Ralph Butcher	260.68
Bert Pearson	148.76
George U. Browning	105.00
George Monilla	104.00
John Connair	117.00
Frank Cunningham	99.50
Robert B. Hunter	133.00
John F. Farrar	146.00
George C. Browning	26.00
Mathew F. Dougherty	22.75
Oak Hill Farm	20.10
Charles Conlon	37.38
James Hutton	45.50

L. E. Brooks	24.00
William Burgess	6.50
Sam Demas	21.13
Byron Lunt	55.25
Timothy Moynihan	32.50
Henry A. Butcher	61.75
Patrick Craven	80.00
Boyce Bros.	6.50
Thomas L. Giles	3.25
John Morrissey	3.25
Carl Cunnert	1.63
George Hill	3.25
Eastern Tractor Co., Supplies	41.58
Packard Motor Car Co.	413.70
Henry A. Grimwood	104.00
Joseph Breck & Sons	65.40
Peter Perry	135.80
Barrett Mfg. Co.	407.71
Wood Hydraulic Hoist Co.	417.50
Berger Mfg. Co.	276.87
Charles Clark	12.50
American Oil Product Co.	50.00
Klaur Bros.	16.58
George L. Cousins	2.53
Buffalo Roller Co.	4.23
Rollins Bros.	5.30
Dyer Sales & Machine Co.	2.75
W. H. Brewster Co.	11.00
Wilson Lumber Co.	4.00
Martin Coffey	2.42
Good Road Machine Co.	1.76
Rice's Garage	1.89
J. W. Milbury, Labor and Supplies	63.25
Isaac N. MacRae	19.96
Benjamin W. Pike	126.35

Macone Bros.	105.74
Robert D. Donaldson	255.92
Burgess Garage	1,158.65
Daniel McAskill	360.00
Doherty's Garage	142.48
A. O. Mareau	55.42
Edwin B. Rice	4.82
Langille Bros.	5.90
E. Rogers	61.50
Rothwell MacRae	1.63
Sumner Smith	1.65
L. E. Brooks, Stone	40.00
Thomas J. Dee, Sand	17.00
P. J. Keefe, Labor at Stable	30.25
Charles F. Fairbanks, 1 pr. of horses	500.00
George Bemis, Labor at Stable	37.00
Edison Electric Light Co., Light	8.54
Charles S. Smith, Rent of Barn	400.00
Thomas F. Coan, Care of Barn	360.00
Estella Brooks, Rent of Land	25.00
F. J. D. Bamforth, Mowing	15.00
Lincoln Water Works, Water Services	37.00
Martin Peterson, 1 Horse	250.00
Peterson & Trask, 1 Horse	199.00
Daniel E. Sherman, Grass	300.00
H. A. Burgess, Harness and Cart	290.00
Registry of Motor Vehicles, Registering	30.00
Christian Olson, Stone Work	130.00
Thomas L. Giles, Filing Saws	2.50
General Crushed Stone Co., Trucking	64.26
W. E. Peterson, M. D., Services	12.00
Charles S. Smith, Gasoline	22.10
B. W. Brown Grain Co., Grain and Straw	913.98
T. F. McGlinchy, M. D., Services	27.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Services	19.76

Town of Concord, Tractor and Plow	1,250.00
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	2.13
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	\$14,909.43

WATER

Payments

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Power and Light	\$1,887.86
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Dec. 1	175.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Sept. 1	17.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Nov. 1	87.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due March 1	17.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due May 1	87.50
First Nat'l Bank, 2 \$500 Bonds, with Coupons due Sept. 1	1,247.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due June 1	175.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due March 1	607.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Sept. 1	360.00
Commonwealth of Mass., Coupons	227.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Coupons, June 1	227.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Coupons, Sept. 1	52.50
State of Mass., Reg'd Bonds due March 1,	52.50
Sinking Fund Commrs., Sinking Fund	1,500.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	24.85
Sumner Smith, Water Commissioner	75.00
Robert B. Hunter, Water Commissioner	75.00
John J. Kelliher, Water Commissioner	475.00
Doherty Garage, Delivering Freight	2.57
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	1.38
Thomas L. Giles, Collecting Rates and Postage	206.12
Calvin Childs, 1/2 Payment of Ford Car	150.00

J. M. Robinson, Reading Meters	20.00
Isaac N. MacRae, Labor and Supplies	186.39
Church Tyler Co., Labor and Supplies	81.84
Joseph Frazia, Labor	12.00
Joseph Mahan, Labor	3.50
P. J. Keefe, Labor	96.40
Sam Demas, Labor	27.75
Daniel Holman, Labor	88.00
Red Head Mfg. Co., Supplies	42.17
Chapman Valve Co.	54.22
Walworth Mfg. Co.	55.93
National Meter Co., Supplies	10.58
Rumsey Pump Co.	39.85
Eagle Oil & Supply Co.	47.88
F. W. Webb Mfg. Co.	2.48
Rollins Bros.	4.41
Thomas L. Giles, Census of Water Fixtures	30.00
Builders Iron Foundry, Supplies	12.66
Austin D. MacRae	4.93
Edison Mfg. Co.	33.88
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	\$8,587.65

MOTHS

Payments

John J. Kelliher, Services as Supt.	\$1,200.00
Edward J. Bannon, Labor	766.50
John J. Connair	259.00
Byron Lunt	249.50
Ashley Cousins	200.00
Henry A. Butcher	162.00

Philip Snelling	48.00
William Costello	20.00
Joseph Frazia	8.00
Charles S. Smith, Rent	100.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	24.64
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	2.44
Conrad Bell, M. D., Professional Services	11.00
Standard Oil Co., Supplies	80.38
Frost Insecticide Co.	62.80
Doherty Garage	33.85
Bigelow-Dowse Co.	16.50
Fritzherry & Co.	3.75
Henry A. Grimwood	1.00
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	\$3,249.36

MISCELLANEOUS

Payments

John J. Kelliher, Services as Constable	\$300.00
Edward Bannon, Services as Janitor	720.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor on School House	1,154.22
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor at Town Hall	155.62
Isaac N. MacRae, Labor at Schoolhouse	138.98
Isaac N. MacRae, Labor at Town Hall	69.33
Thomas Groom, Supplies	17.11
Charles E. Woodhull, Care of Piano 1922	15.00
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	4.24
William Hilliard, Services at Election	5.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services at Election	5.00
Robert Hunter, Services at Election	5.00
Charles S. Smith, Coal, Town Hall	61.06

Martin M. Welch, Inspecting Cattle	44.00
Martin O. Grady, Sawing Wood	35.75
Dover Stamping Co., Testing Cans	27.75
Daniels Printing Co., Printing	586.40
P. B. Murphy, 1 Book	1.85
The Daval Printing House, Printing	3.00
Waltham Printing Co., Printing	15.57
Fritz Cunnert, Moving Brush	2.00
Isaac Langelle, Special Police, 1922	33.00
Patrick Keefe, Labor on Hall Roof	1,339.08
George Cunningham, Constable, 1922	25.00
Waltham Coal Co., Coal	35.88
Lincoln Water Works, Water, Town Hall	50.00
Calvin W. Childs, 1/2 Payment on Ford Car	150.00
L. W. Barnes, M. D., Returning Birth	.25
Spry Wheel Sales Co., Power Lawn Mower	135.00
Dubold Safe & Lock Co., Opening Safe	7.50
Thomas L. Giles, Collecting Taxes, 1921	709.43
Thomas L. Giles, Postage	3.64
Thomas L. Giles, Legal Blanks	1.90
The Shepard Stores, Repairs on Curtains	54.74
Charles S. Smith, Coal	332.07
Doherty Garage, Storing Fire Truck	100.00
Doherty Garage, Services at Fires	105.13
Doherty Garage, Auto Hire, Town Clerk	4.00
Doherty Garage, Auto Hire, Constable Calls, Etc.	153.57
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Town Hall	79.25
C. L. Bowse & Son, Contract on Hall	1,095.70
C. L. Bowse & Son, Painting Flagpole	27.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Services	33.69
William H. Sherman, Services as Assessor	60.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Assessor	50.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Preambulating Line	10.00
William C. Peirce, Services as Assessor	50.00
William C. Peirce, Clerical Work	35.00

William C. Peirce, Express and Postage	2.74
William C. Peirce, Town Clerk	125.00
William C. Peirce, Use of Truck	5.00
William C. Peirce, Cash for Bugler	2.00
Martin M. Welch, Inspecting Cattle, 1923	25.00
Martin M. Welch, Fumigating and Cleaning Troughs	9.50
C. S. Smith, Selectman, Registrar and Postage	210.00
R. D. Donaldson, Selectman, Registrar and Overseer	200.00
John F. Farrar, Selectman, Registrar and Overseer	200.00
John F. Farrar, Preambulating Line	5.00
George E. Cunningham, Preambulating Line	5.00
C. Lee Todd, Town Treasurer	300.00
C. Lee Todd, Supplies	14.07
Nelson Bros., Fighting Fires	16.00
J. S. Williams, Fighting Fires	1.50
William C. Robus, Fighting Fires	29.60
Harold S. Cousins, Fighting Fires	21.00
Rothwell MacRae, Fighting Fires	2.40
Ernest Butcher, Fighting Fires	1.40
Foster Bunker, Fighting Fires	4.50
John Morrissey, Fighting Fires	2.50
Joseph Frazia, Fighting Fires	5.00
Andrew J. Dougherty, Services on Fire Dept.	25.00
Mathew H. Doherty, Services on Fire Dept.	25.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services on Fire Dept.	25.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services on Fire Dept.	25.00
Thomas J. Dee, Storing Fire Truck	84.00
Thomas J. Dee, Cash Paid for Supplies	16.23
Thomas J. Dee, Call With Truck	31.00
Daniel McAskill, Labor on Bell	10.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Labor at Fires	30.00
John J. Kelliher, Services on Fire Dept.	25.00
James W. Lennon, Auditor	125.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor at Hall	627.64
Mr. and Mrs. E. Graf, Services July 4th and 5th	11.50

W. & L. E. Gurley, Supplies	11.21
Rollins Bros., Supplies	4.49
Macone Bros., Labor and Supplies	18.30
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	\$10,329.29

HIGHWAY SPECIAL

Payments

William H. Sherman, Supt. Labor	\$720.00
Lincoln Highway Department, Labor of Horses	1,260.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	480.00
Joseph Mahan	488.00
Timothy J. Crowley	486.00
William H. Ryan	488.00
George Monilla	488.00
George M. Boyce	348.00
Martin J. Rooney	252.00
John W. Rooney, Jr.	240.00
Patrick Craven	177.50
A. Bailey	76.00
Bernard Depper	116.00
Peter Overson	202.00
John W. Rooney, Sr.	294.00
John F. Farrar	535.00
Charles Hews	413.40
General Crushed Stone Co., Trucking	5,257.57
Maynard Coal Company, Coal	110.00
J. B. Wood & Son, Coal	35.28
James E. Baker, Wood	10.00
Thomas Whiting, Drilling and Blasting	300.00
Town of Bedford, Steam Roller	495.00

Barber Asphalt Co., Supplies	1,039.50
The Texas Company	1,024.80
Waltham Coal Co., Supplies	57.40
Thomas L. Giles, Gravel	26.00
John A. Burgess	215.75
Carrie Sherman	10.00
Barbone Stockwell, Supplies	19.00
Packard Motor Co.	1.66
Wilson Lumber Co.	57.82
Charles Lamont, Care of Lanterns	7.50
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	\$15,739.18

HIGHWAY STATE AID

Payments

William H. Sherman, Supt. Labor	\$468.00
Joseph E. Mahan, Labor	279.00
Timothy J. Crowley	279.00
William H. Ryan	279.00
Thomas F. Coan	279.00
George M. Boyce	351.00
John W. Rooney, Sr.	236.60
George Monilla	174.00
Patrick Craven	112.00
John W. Rooney, Jr.	29.70
Lincoln Highway Dept., Labor of Horses	945.00
The Texas Co., Supplies	2,356.96
Barrett Company	2,671.72
Doherty Garage	25.90
Burgess Garage	232.39
Wilson Lumber Co.	33.30

A. O. Moreau, Repairs and Labor	95.75
General Crushed Stone Co., Trucking	226.93
Macone Bros., Labor and Supplies	307.20
Atlas Welding Co.	20.00
Packard Motor Co.	.80
George Hill, Gravel	45.00
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	\$9,448.75

CEMETERY

Payments

Whitman & Howard, Services	\$1.60
Fredrick Bailey, Labor	230.50
Fritz Cunnert	110.13
Daniel Holman	26.00
Thomas Whiting	12.50
Robert D. Donaldson, Manure	10.00
Fritz Cunnert, Manure	5.00
Lincoln Water Works, Water	20.00
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	\$415.73

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Payments

Whitney Fire Apparatus & Recharging Co., Supplies	\$50.93
Commonwealth of Mass.	18.00
Rollins Bros.	1.00

Isaac N. MacRae, Labor	32.25
Doherty Garage, Labor and Supplies	13.61
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	\$115.79

INTEREST ACCOUNT

Payments

Lincoln Water Commissioners, Interest	48.73
Middlesex Co. Extension Service Payment	
Middlesex Co. Extension Service, Appropriation	200.00
Mothers Aid and Support of Poor	
Dept. of Public Welfare, Care of Andrew Kilfoye	457.00
Dept. of Public Welfare, Care of Honor Kennedy	282.00
Mrs. Sarah Mulligan, Mothers Aid	120.00
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	\$859.00

BOARD OF HEALTH

Payments

Gilman Bros., Inc., Supplies	\$16.80
Bradley Holbrook, M. D., Care of Mrs. Kennedy's Children	5.00
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	\$21.80

HYDRANTS AND OTHER WATER SERVICE

 Payments

Lincoln Water Commrs., 124 Hydrants	\$1,860.00
Lincoln Water Commrs., Watering Troughs	572.00
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	\$2,432.00

LINCOLN LIBRARY

 Payments

John F. Farrar, Treas., Return of Dog Tax 1922	\$223.49
John F. Farrar, Treas., Appropriation	800.00
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	\$1,023.49

STREET LIGHTS

 Payments

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Dec., 1922	\$165.10
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Jan., 1923	159.37
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Feb.	161.06
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for March	151.41
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for April	147.58
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for May	136.22
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for June	134.42
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for July	135.60
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for August	137.02

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for September	147.99
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for October	162.54
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for November	161.39
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	\$1,799.70

WALTHAM HOSPITAL

Payment

Waltham Hospital, Appropriation	\$300.00
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DISTRICT NURSE

Payments

Caroline W. Viets, Salary	\$238.50
Caroline W. Viets, Expenses	12.92
Lyda T. Mosher, Salary	531.25
Lyda T. Mosher, Expenses	6.27
Edith Backman, Salary	250.00
Doherty Garage, Supplies	47.48
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	\$1,086.42

RECAPITULATION

Payments

Schools	\$27,093.56
Highway Special	15,739.18
Highway	14,909.43
Miscellaneous	10,329.29
Highway State Aid	9,448.75
Hydrants and Other Water Service	2,432.00
Water	8,587.65
Moths	3,249.36
Street Lights	1,799.70
District Nurse	1,086.42
Library	1,023.49
Mothers' Aid and Support of Poor	859.00
Cemetery	415.73
Waltham Hospita	300.00
Middlesex Co. Extension Service	200.00
Fire Department	115.79
Interest	48.73
Board of Health	21.80
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	\$97,659.88

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING AND TRUST FUNDS

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

WATER WORKS SINKING FUND

1923

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$ 8,312.13
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s due 1932	105.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s due 1934	175.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s (Serial)	20.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s due 1936	560.00
	\$500 Town of Lincoln Serial 4s due	500.00
	Cash, C. L. Todd, Treas. Town of Lincoln	1,500.00
	Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4½s due 1928	127.50
	Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4½s due 1938	63.75
	Interest on Deposit	431.08
		<u>\$11,794.46</u>

1923

Cr.

Dec. 17	\$7,000 U. S. Liberty 4½s due 1938	\$ 6,948.43
31	Balance	4,846.03
		<u>\$11,794.46</u>

The Fund is invested as follows:

\$14,000 Town of Lincoln 4s, due September, 1936.
 \$3,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due September, 1932.
 \$3,000 U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1928.
 \$8,500 U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1938.
 \$5,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due November, 1934.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

FUND FOR PURCHASE OF SCHOOLHOUSE BONDS

1923		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance		\$ 8,363.18
	Interest		244.82
Dec. 31	Balance		5,428.00
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			\$8,608.00
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1923		<i>Cr.</i>	
Jan. 1	\$3,000 Schoolhouse bonds due		\$ 3,000.00
	Coupons, Schoolhouse bonds January 1st		120.00
July 1	Coupons, Schoolhouse bonds July 1st		60.00
Dec. 31	Balance		5,428.00
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			\$8,608.00
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Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE G. TARBELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1923

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	\$ 3.50
	Dividends, American Tel. & Tel Co.....	36.00
	Dividends, Boston Elev. Ry. Co. 1st pfd.....	56.00
	Coupons, Anglo-American Oil Corpn. 7½s	37.50
	Sale, \$500 Anglo-American Oil Corpn. 7½s	510.00
	Interest	3.19
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		\$646.19

1923

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$136.19
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	510.00
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		\$646.19

The Fund is invested as follows:

- 8 shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "B."
- 7 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company first preferred.
- 8 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co.
- 4 shares American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
- ½ share Boston Elevated Railway Co. second preferred.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE RUSSELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1923		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$33.02
		Interest	1.50
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			\$34.52
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1923		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	1.50
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	33.02
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			\$34.52
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The Fund is invested as follows:

- 7 shares Boston & Maine Railroad Co. preferred "A"
- 2 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JULIA A. BEMIS FUND FOR BENEFIT OF LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1923

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$35.34
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	7.00
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Company 5s	50.00
	Interest	3.18
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		\$95.52

1923

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$60.18
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	35.34
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		\$95.52

The Fund is invested as follows:

1 share Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$1,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1923

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$18.33
		Coupons, American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	50.00
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	3.50
		Interest	1.29
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			\$73.12
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1923

Cr.

Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$54.79
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	18.33
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			\$73.12
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The Fund is invested as follows:

½ share Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$1,000. American Ttl. & Tel. Co. 5s, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR LINCOLN LIBRARY

1923	<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance	\$ 29.37
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	21.00
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s	5.85
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		\$156.22
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1923	<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$126.85
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	29.37
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		\$156.22
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The Fund is invested as follows:

3 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$2,000. Unittd States Rubber 5s, due 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR SILENT POOR

1923		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance		\$ 998.76
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s, due 1947.....		100.00
	Interest		45.35
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			\$1,144.11

1923		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 31	Paid on Selectmen's orders		10.00
	Balance on Deposit, Income Account		972.95
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account		161.16
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			\$1,144.11

The Fund is invested as follows:

\$2,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR TOWN HEARSE

1923		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance		\$256.42
	Dividend, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.		45.00
	Interest		10.64
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			\$312.06

1923		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 31	Balance on Deposit		\$312.06

The Fund is invested as follows:

15 shares Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND TRUSTEES

In Account with

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND

1923		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$1,717.63
		Dividends, Pennsylvania R. R. Co.....	150.00
		Dividends, Boston & Providence R. R. Co.....	100.00
		Dividends, Old Colony Railroad Co.....	70.00
		Dividends, Boston & Albany R. R. Co.....	140.00
		Dividends, American Telephone & Telegraph Co....	585.00
		Dividends, West End Street Railway Co. preferred..	40.00
		Dividends, Northern Railway Co. preferred	125.00
		Coupons, American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s..	50.00
		Coupons, Southern Railway Co. 4s	120.00
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s	50.00
		Interest on Deposit	36.43
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			\$3,184.06

1923		<i>Cr.</i>	
Jan.	19	Thornton W. Burgess	137.48
	31	P. A. Carter, Postals, etc.	7.00
Feb.	17	Doherty Garage	8.50
Mch.	23	Captain William Payne	79.08
Apr.	20	P. A. Carter, Postals, etc.	6.93
	20	Ferrell, Tapley, Hoffman	128.72
	27	Alfred E. Steap	100.00
May	12	Laurent's Ensemble	158.68
	19	W. S. Ferguson	50.00
	28	P. A. Carter, Postals, etc.	3.25
June	8	Doherty Garage	6.00
July	4	Waltham Watch Co. Band	186.00
Nov.	14	P. A. Carter, Postals, etc.	8.54
	16	Hoffman Concert Co.	158.76
Dec.	3	Douglas Malloch	125.00
	20	P. A. Carter, Postals, etc.	4.30

Dec. 31 Balance	2,015.82
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	\$3,184.06
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The Fund is invested as follows:

50 shares Pennsylvania R. R. Co.
 30 " Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "B"
 10 " Boston & Providence R. R. Co.
 16 " Boston & Albany R. R. Co.
 10 " Boston & Maine R. R. preferred "A"
 10 " Old Colony R. R. Co.
 5 " Boston Elevated Railway Co. first preferred.
 65 " American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
 50 " Northern Idaho & Montana Power Co. preferred.
 25 " Great Northern Railway Co. preferred.
 \$4,000 New York Railways Co. 5s of 1942.
 \$1,000 New York Railways Co. 4s of 1942.
 \$3,000 Southern Railway Co. 4s of 1956.
 \$1,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s of 1946.
 \$1,000 U. S. Rubber Co. 5s of 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

The Commissioners submit herewith the following report for the year 1923:

There has been expended in connection with the cemeteries for labor and supplies \$415.73; there has been credited on account of wood sold \$70.00. The full amount of \$415.73 will be taken from the Cemetery Fund and be paid to the Town Treasurer during the coming year, as has been the case in former years.

The Commissioners have during the year carried on further the perfection of the records which have been kept since the cemetery was started, and it is their belief that when this work is completed, the record as regards ownership of lots and their location will be in such shape that any future generation will have no difficulty in understanding it.

Several lots have been taken during the year, and it seems to the Commissioners that it would be wise at this time for the Town to acquire additional land adjoining the present cemetery lot, which is well adapted for cemetery uses, and the Commissioners recommend that the Selectmen be authorized and empowered to negotiate for about two acres of land adjacent to the original cemetery established in the Town, as well as adjacent to the present Lincoln cemetery, belonging to the Estate of Charles S. Wheeler. With the acquisition of this tract convenient burial lots will be available to the citizens of the Town for many years.

The report of the Town Treasurer in connection with the Cemetery Fund will indicate the receipts and expenditures during the year more fully.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. SMITH,
EDWARD F. FLINT,
FRITZ CUNNERT,

Cemetery Commissioners.

THE TOWN TREASURER
In Account with
 THE LINCOLN CEMETERY COMMISSION

1923

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance on hand	\$141.61
	Dividends, American Sugar Refining preferred.....	28.00
	Dividends, Union Pacific R. R. preferred	12.00
	Lots 139	20.00
	Lots 2, 3, 34 and 35	100.00
	Care of lot—E. H. Rogers	250.00
	Wood sold	70.00
	Interest	18.92
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		\$640.53

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The following is a list of securities held by the Town Treasurer:
 Four shares American Sugar Refining Co. preferred.
 Three shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. preferred.
 Two shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "A."

Also the following funds for the care of lots in cemetery, all of which are deposited in the Middlesex Institution of Savings, Concord, Mass.

General Fund \$191.81.

Orilla J. Flint Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$101.11.

Samuel Hartwell Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$101.11.

Annie A. Ray Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$101.12.

John H. Pierce Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$168.26.

Maria L. Thompson Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$168.56.

George F. Harrington Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest \$32.25.

Francis Flint Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$80.68.

William W. Benjamin Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$68.53.

Abijah G. Jones Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$41.12.

Ellen F. Whitney Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$13.67.

(Signed) C. LEE TODD,

Town Treasurer.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Board of Assessors submit the following report:

Number of residents assessed on property	311
“ non-residents assessed on property	80
“ assessed on polls only	145
“ acres of land assessed	8,740
“ dwelling houses assessed	294
“ horses assessed	170
“ cows assessed	451
“ neat cattle other than cows assessed	71
“ swine assessed	489
“ sheep assessed	15
“ fowl assessed	5,595
Value of land, exclusive of buildings	\$734,190.00
“ buildings exclusive of land	1,176,240.00
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“ real estate	\$1,910,430.00
“ personal estate	276,889.00
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Total valuation	\$2,187,319.00
State tax	4,320.00
County tax	2,658.49
State Highway tax	412.00
Town grants	59,550.00
Overlayings	492.13
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Total	\$67,432.62
Deductions	
Income tax	\$19,174.84
School funds	1,686.00
Corporation and Bank tax	13,000.00
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Total deductions	\$33,860.84
Amount to be collected	\$33,571.78.
Rate of taxation	\$15.00 per \$1,000.00.
No. of Polls	381.

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,
WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
HERBERT G. FARRAR,

Assessors.

RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Adams, John	625	9.38			9.38
Adams, Mary O.	3,900	58.50	78,800	1,182.00	1,240.50
A'Hearn, Timothy			2,500	37.50	37.50
Algeo, John O.	150	2.25			2.25
Baker, James E.	100	1.50	100	1.50	3.00
Bailey, Edward O.	350	5.25	4,300	64.50	69.75
Balch, Francis N.	400	6.00			6.00
Balcom, Joseph E.	200	3.00			3.00
Bannon, Edward			2,000	30.00	30.00
Bamforth, Fred J. D.	100	1.50			1.50
Banton, Edward F.	100	1.50			1.50
Barnes, Thomas					
Bean, Abbie E.	650	9.25	1,000	15.00	15.00
Bean, Elmer A.	500	7.25	3,500	52.50	62.25
Bemis, Julia A.	1,500	22.50	3,650	54.75	77.25
Bent, Edwin S.	500	7.50			7.50
Bent, Edwin S., et al.			3,500	52.50	52.50
Blodgett, Emma S.			20,000	300.00	300.00
Blodgett, Stephen H.	500	7.50	8,500	127.50	135.00
Bova, Conti Pasqual	400	6.00	6,200	93.00	99.00
Bowles, William	925	13.88	3,500	52.50	66.38

Bowen, David C.	650	9.25			9.25
Bowen, Lorenzo W.	100	1.50	15,000	225.00	226.50
Bowman, Robert A.	115	1.73			1.73
Boyce, George Minot	250	3.75			3.75
Boyce Bros.	4,130	61.95	8,500	127.50	189.45
Boyce, John P.	50	.75			.75
Boyce, Manley B.			2,600	39.00	39.00
Boyce, Michael J.	50	.75	4,500	67.50	68.25
Bradley, Sarah A. W.			500	7.50	7.50
Bradstreet, Byron			7,000	105.00	105.00
Briggs, Richard	300	4.50			4.50
Briggs, Richard, Jr.	600	9.00			9.00
Brooks, Albert S.	1,000	15.00			15.00
Brooks, Estella M.			4,500	67.50	67.50
Brooks, Lorenzo E.	750	11.25	4,500	67.50	78.75
Brooks, Sarah W., et al.	450	6.75	4,500	67.50	74.25
Browning, Edgar C.	425	6.38	2,500	37.50	43.88
Browning, George U.	1,450	21.75	6,000	90.00	111.75
Bunker, Abbie	300	4.50	3,000	45.00	49.50
Burgess, John A.	1,000	15.00	6,500	97.50	112.50
Burke, Thomas D.	350	5.25	1,600	24.00	29.25
Burns, William C.	100	1.50			1.50
Burriage, John	100	1.50			1.50
Butcher, Charles R.	925	13.88	850	12.25	26.63
Butcher, Henry A.	300	4.50	2,000	30.00	34.50
Butcher, Ralph E.	275	4.13	3,200	48.00	52.13
Calkins, James T.	100	1.50	2,600	39.00	40.50
Calkins, T. Alonzo	200	3.00	3,000	45.00	48.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Campbell, Fanny S., et al.....			9,100	136.50	136.50
Carlson, Benjamin E.....	2,200	33.00	20,000	300.00	333.00
Chapin, Carrie B.....			1,500	22.50	22.50
Chapin, Clara F.....	1,500	22.50	6,400	96.00	96.00
Chapin, Cyrus S.....			2,000	30.00	22.50
Chapin, Elizabeth G. et al.....	75	1.13	700	10.50	30.00
Christiansen, Peter	50	.75			11.63
Clapp, Clarence G.	1,000	15.00	7,000	105.00	.75
Clark, John T.....	925	13.88	3,500	52.50	120.00
Coan, Bridgett	2,600	39.00	4,000	60.00	66.38
Coan, John H.....	75	1.13	600	9.00	99.00
Coan, Thomas F.....	1,650	24.75	5,000	75.00	10.13
Coburn, Edward S.....	266	3.99			99.75
Codman, Alice N.....	210	3.15			3.99
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.....	195	2.93			3.15
Codman, Hugh	3,350	50.25			2.93
Codman, Thomas N., Adm.....	646	9.69			50.25
Codman, Thomas N.....			75,000	1,125.00	9.69
Codman, Thomas N., et al Trustees....			3,000	45.00	1,125.00
Connell, Nellie	575	8.62	1,150	17.25	45.00
Connors, Michael	600	9.00	1,900	28.50	25.87
Conway, William J.....	300	4.50			37.50
Cook, George					4.50

Corrigan, Patrick F.....		2,000	30.00	30.00
Corrigan, Mary		2,000	30.00	30.00
Cotona, Nicholas	700	1,000	15.00	25.50
Cousins, George L.	3,600	6,000	90.00	144.00
Cousins, Harold S.....	850	6,000	90.00	102.75
Crook, Russel G.....	30	3,000	45.00	45.45
Crowley, Mary A.....		1,000	15.00	15.00
Cunnert, Carl T.....	500	3,500	52.50	60.00
Cunnert, Fritz	300			4.50
Cunningham, Francis H.....	400	4,000	60.00	66.00
Cunningham, George E.....	200	3,000	45.00	48.00
Danner, John		5,000	75.00	75.00
Davidson, Samuel S.....	200			3.00
Davis, Alfred G.....	2,000	7,500	112.50	142.50
Davis, E. Russel	400			6.00
Davis, Prescott L.....	1,225	10,500	157.50	175.88
Davison, Everett H.....	200	2,000	30.00	33.00
Dean, Clarence H.	200			3.00
Dean, Harold S.....	100			1.50
DeCordova, Julian	12,250	46,000	690.00	873.75
Dee, Thomas J.....	525	5,000	75.00	82.88
Delory, John	200			3.00
Delory, Theresa		1,000	15.00	15.00
Delorey, William		500	7.50	7.50
Dempsey, Edward	500	1,500	22.50	30.00
De Normandie, Charles L.....	1,350	6,000	90.00	110.25
De Normandie, William J.	400			6.00
De Palma, Nicholas		500	7.50	7.50

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Diamond, James					
Denio, F. Winchester	500	7.50	800	12.00	12.00
Dodge, Kate, F. P.			2,000	30.00	37.50
Donaldson, James F.	500	7.50	3,500	52.50	52.50
Donaldson, Robert D.	7,200	108.00	33,600	504.00	7.50
Doherty, Anthony J.	300	4.50	4,500	67.50	612.00
Doherty & Corrigan	3,100	46.50	5,000	75.00	72.00
Doherty, Mary			1,500	22.50	121.50
Doherty, Matthew H.			3,000	45.00	22.50
Dougherty, Andrew John	100	1.50			45.00
Dougherty, Andrew J.	1,200	18.00	2,500	37.50	1.50
Dougherty, Matthew M.	50	.75			55.50
Dougherty, Mary M.	300	4.50			.75
Domenichello, Domenick	550	8.25	2,000	30.00	4.50
Eaton, Joseph F.	200	3.00			38.25
Eaton, Winslow A.	300	4.50	6,500	97.50	3.00
Edgerly, Jonathan F.	2,025	30.38	20,500	307.50	102.00
Ehlert, Ellen			2,000	30.00	337.88
Ellms, Charles W.			5,000	75.00	30.00
Ellms, Marjorie	300	4.50			75.00
Emerson, Carl E.	1,000	15.00	2,400	36.00	4.50
Farrar, Edward F.	715	10.73	9,000	135.00	51.00
Farrar, Herbert G.			4,250	63.75	145.73
					63.75

Farrar, John F.....				3,000		45.00	45.00
Farrar, John F. & Son.....	1,025	15.38				15.38	
Farquhar, David.....				5,500		82.50	82.50
First, Parish				5,500		82.50	82.50
Fleming, Mary	70	1.05		600		9.00	10.05
Flint Bros.				17,300		259.50	259.50
Flint, Edward F.....	1,860	27.90		4,500		67.50	95.40
Flint, Ephraim B.....	3,150	47.25		8,000		120.00	167.25
Florio, Teto	100	1.50					1.50
Flynn, Frank J.				2,500		37.50	37.50
Foreman, Charles F.				2,000		30.00	30.00
Foster, Helen P.....				10,000		150.00	150.00
Gately, Annie E.....	1,000	15.00		17,000		255.00	270.00
Gates, Edith M.....	375	5.63		6,000		90.00	95.63
Giles, Thomas L.....				2,250		33.75	33.75
Giles, Thomas T.	200	3.00		1,000		15.00	18.00
Glover, Charles A.....	500	7.50		2,000		30.00	37.50
Gordon, Donald.....	21,400	321.00		135,000		2,025.00	2,346.00
Graf, Edward				500		7.50	7.50
Graves, George A.....	731	10.96		5,000		75.00	85.96
Graves, George A., Trustee				40		.60	.60
Gustin, Francis E.	1,200	18.00		600		9.00	18.00
Hamilton, Celeste C.....				2,400		36.00	39.00
Hamilton, D. Lincoln.....	200	3.00					1.50
Hallett, Walter G.	100	1.50					1.50
Hallett, Wilbur H.	100	1.50					1.50
Harding, William A.....	200	3.00		2,000		30.00	33.00
Hart, Joseph S.....				20,500		307.50	307.50

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Hatheway, Conrad P.....	500	7.50	6,500	97.50	105.00
Hartwell, J. Redman	50	.75			.75
Heald, Jay M.	500	7.50	5,000	75.00	82.50
Herman, Edwards W.....	1,285	19.28	12,800	192.00	211.28
Higginson, A. Henry	4,000	60.00			60.00
Higginson, Jeanne A.....	3,350	50.25			50.25
Hilliard, Florence M.....	200	3.00	4,500	67.50	70.50
Hilliard, William M.....	100	1.50	4,000	60.00	61.50
Hills, George E.....			1,500	22.50	22.50
Hodges, George C.....			7,500	112.50	112.50
Holman, Daniel			200	3.00	3.00
Hunt, Merrill	900	13.50	9,000	135.00	148.50
Hunter, Euphema J.....	1,450	21.75	6,800	102.00	123.75
Hutton, James	300	4.50	1,000	15.00	15.00
Jensen, Holger J.	675	10.13	2,500	37.50	47.63
Jensen, Niel	200	3.00			3.00
Jensen, Otto A. B.			300	4.50	4.50
Johnson, John	100	1.50	5,455	81.83	83.33
Johnson, Walter W.....			3,200	48.00	48.00
Jones, George F.....	725	10.88	3,400	51.00	61.88
Jose, Eugene			3,000	45.00	45.00
Kelliher, John J.....			3,100	46.50	46.50
Kennedy, Honor					

Kidder Bros.	1,500	22.50	11,000	165.00	187.50
Kinney, Robert C.	260	3.90			3.90
King, Elizabeth L.			2,000	30.00	30.00
Lahey, James.			1,000	15.00	15.00
Laird, James T., Est.			2,750	41.25	41.25
Lamont, Henry.	150	2.25			2.25
Langille, Isaac.	100	1.50			1.50
Lennon, James W.			2,500	37.50	37.50
Lennon, John B.			2,500	37.50	37.50
Lennon, Patrick J.			1,300	19.50	19.50
Lerosa, Joseph.	300	4.50			4.50
Lewis, James P.	500	7.50			7.50
Lincoln, Farms.			4,000	60.00	60.00
Lynch, James P.	100	1.50			1.50
Little, Amos R.	1,050	15.75	30,000	450.00	465.75
Loring, Robert G.	1,200	18.00	5,200	78.00	96.00
Lunt, Charles.	150	2.25	1,500	22.50	29.75
MacAskill, Dan.	100	1.50	2,700	40.50	42.00
MacRae, Isaac N.	700	10.50	3,600	54.00	64.50
Mannarino, Joseph.	300	4.50	4,000	60.00	64.50
Mann, David W.	200	3.00	3,500	52.50	55.50
Marcy, Florence E. G.	525	7.88	16,000	240.00	247.88
Martin, Ellen.			2,500	37.50	37.50
McHugh, John E.	1,000	15.00	5,000	75.00	90.00
McLean, Hector J.	200	3.00	2,500	37.50	40.50
Morrisy, Annie.	925	13.88	4,500	67.50	81.38
Montgomery, Hastwell T.	400	6.00			6.00
Mort, John H.	200	3.00			3.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Moynihan, Timothy.....					45.00
Murphy, George	50	.75	3,000	45.00	45.75
Nelson Bros.	2,200	33.00	8,000	120.00	153.00
Nelson, Charles M.	300	4.50			4.50
Neville Bros.	12,200	18.30			18.30
Neville, Martin			4,000	60.00	60.00
O'Brien, Frank M.....			400	6.00	6.00
O'Brien, James	500	7.50	1,500	22.50	30.00
O'Hearn, William J.	200	3.00			3.00
O'Leary, Delia	650	9.75	5,000	75.00	84.75
Osgood, Emily L.....	794	11.91	37,000	555.00	566.91
Page, Frank L.....	300	4.50			4.50
Page, G. William.....	500	7.50			7.50
Page, Henry R.....	600	9.00			9.00
Page, Henry R., et al.....			10,000	150.00	150.00
Pearson, Burt W.....	775	11.63	3,500	52.50	64.13
Peck, Chester G.....	2,150	32.25	20,000	300.00	332.25
Peirce, William C.....	1,550	23.25	3,500	52.50	75.75
Peirce, William C., et al.....			14,000	210.00	210.00
Peterson, Andrew P.....			1,500	22.50	22.50
Pierce, Elsie	2,150	32.25	25,500	382.50	414.75

Poland, Verne	200	3.00				3.00
Pollard, Ann D.....	8,370	125.55			36,500	673.05
Pollard, Frederick H.....					7,000	105.00
Preble, Charles O.	700	10.50				10.50
Premak, John					3,000	45.00
Rasmussen, Robert	150	2.25				2.25
Rice, Edwin B.....	500	7.50			2,500	45.00
Rice, Warren A.	150	2.25				2.25
Riley, Ellen.....					6,000	90.00
Roche, Bridget					6,000	90.00
Robbins, Edson B.	100	1.50				1.50
Roberts, William G.	550	8.25				8.25
Robus, Tamzin K.....					2,000	30.00
Robinson, Charles M.	301	4.52				4.52
Rooney, John W.....					2,500	37.50
Rooney, John W., Jr.....					1,500	22.50
Rooney, Martin J.	300	4.50				4.50
Rollins, Bros.....	2,150	32.25				32.25
Rollins, Charles L.	400	6.00				6.00
Rollins, Elmer A.	400	6.00				6.00
Russ, Percy P.	800	12.00				12.00
Ryan, Daniel	100	1.50				1.50
Ryan, Edward H.	400	6.00				6.00
Ryan, Frank A.	400	6.00				6.00
Ryan, James T.	150	2.25				2.25
Ryan, Mary					2,000	30.00
Ryan, Mary, 2nd	150	2.25				2.25
Ryan, Statia					2,000	30.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Sargent, Charles O.....	850	12.75	6,000	90.00	102.75
Sargent, Francis B.	250	3.75			3.75
Scripture, Bertha	85	1.28			1.28
Scripture, Mary J.....	60	.90			.90
Seeckts, Albert	100	1.50	3,000	45.00	46.50
Seekins, Adison W.	200	3.00			3.00
Seekins, T. B.	200	3.00	1,200	18.00	21.00
Shepherd, Margaret	600	9.00			9.00
Shepard, Richard A.....			3,000	45.00	45.00
Sherman, Chester H.....	150	2.25			2.25
Sherman, Daniel E.....	1,800	27.00	7,500	112.50	139.50
Sherman, Eugene A.	500	7.50			7.50
Sherman, Carrie			2,100	31.50	31.50
Sherman, Martin	100	1.50	1,500	22.50	24.00
Sherman, Roger	500	7.50	5,200	78.00	85.50
Sherman, Susan R.....			5,000	75.00	75.00
Sherman, Warren A.	900	13.50			13.50
Sherman, William H.....	1,200	18.00	4,000	60.00	78.00
Silva, Manuel	3,130	46.95	2,500	37.50	84.45
Sims, John W.....			1,150	17.25	17.25
Smith, Charles S.....	4,650	69.75	56,750	851.25	921.00
Smith, Lillian P.....	400	6.00	3,000	45.00	51.00
Smith, Sumner			2,700	40.50	40.50

Snelling, Caroline.....	600	9.00	3,000	45.00	54.00
Snelling, Marion L.....	300	4.50	9,000	135.00	139.50
Sousa, Joseph M.	700	10.50	1,200	18.00	28.50
Spalding, Nellie H.....	400	6.00	6,000	90.00	96.00
Stackpole, Katharine C.....	590	8.85			8.85
Storey, Moorfield	1,750	26.25	24,000	360.00	386.25
Swain, Marion G.	400	6.00			6.00
Taillacq, Isabel	800	12.00			12.00
Tarbell, George G.....	2,145	32.18	300	4.50	36.68
Tarbell, George G., Trustees			20,000	300.00	300.00
Tasker, Jennie K.	250	3.75	3,000	45.00	48.75
Todd, C. Lee.....	1,000	15.00	25,000	375.00	390.00
Tucker, Matthew E.	200	3.00			3.00
Tyler, Fred	300	4.50	2,200	33.00	37.50
Tyler, Watson, Est.			2,200	33.00	33.00
Warner, Henrietta	512	7.68			7.68
Warner, Henry E.....	3,000	45.00	12,000	180.00	225.00
Washburn, Mary J.....			2,000	30.00	30.00
Watson, Samuel J.....			1,500	22.50	22.50
Watson, William E.....			1,500	22.50	22.50
Welch, Helen F.....			500	7.50	7.50
Welch, Martin M.....			2,500	37.50	37.50
Weston, Georgianna H.....			5,000	75.00	75.00
Wetherbee, Charles E.	100	1.50			1.50
Wheeler, Ella A.			3,500	52.50	52.50
Wheeler, Charles S.....			12,000	180.00	180.00
Wheeler, Charlotte	1,500	22.50			22.50
Wheeler, Charlotte, et al.....			4,500	67.50	67.50

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Wheeler, Andrew J.	400	6.00			6.00
Wheeler, Earl R.	680	10.20	2,500	37.50	47.70
Wheeler, C. Edgar	650	9.75	3,000	45.00	54.75
Wheeler, Elizabeth.....	250	3.75			3.75
Wheeler, George R.....	750	11.25	5,000	75.00	86.25
Wheeler, Herman T.....	250	3.75	4,000	60.00	63.75
Whitney, Harold P.....	400	6.00			6.00
Wilkins, Annie M.	600	9.00	5,500	82.50	91.50
Wilson, John Woodhull, Charles E.....	925 600	13.88 9.00	3,500 6,500	52.50 97.50	66.38 106.50

NON-RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Ames, Mrs. J. B., Cambridge			500	7.50	7.50
Baker, Walter F., Weston			120	1.80	1.80
Blodgett, Edwin S.			2,000	30.00	30.00
Brooks, Mary A., Concord			650	9.75	9.75
Broughall, Margaret, Lexington			20	.30	.30
Brown, Elvira, Est., Lexington			250	3.75	3.75
Brown, Harry Wayland			100	1.50	1.50
Brown, William, Winchendon			1,040	15.60	15.60
Burgess, Harry A., Lexington			240	3.60	3.60
Carroll, Henrietta S., Malden			50	.75	.75
Cheaney, George, Weston			150	2.25	2.25
Coppinger, Joseph, Boston			11,000	165.00	165.00
Cousins, Fred E., Littleton			4,500	67.50	67.50
Curly, Annie, Boston			500	7.50	7.50
Curry, S. E., Somerville			200	3.00	3.00
DeNormandie, Alice W., Boston	1,225	18.38	17,500	262.50	280.88
DeNormandie, James, Boston			6,500	97.50	97.50
Donovan, Michael, Concord			300	4.50	4.50
Doyle, Daniel, Weston			700	10.50	10.50
Dunbar, William H., and } Boston					
Hoar, D. Blakely,			400	6.00	6.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Eaton, Frederick A., Concord			200	3.00	3.00
Edison Electric Illuminating Co., Boston	35,000	525.00			525.00
Emerson, E. W., Concord			650	9.75	9.75
Fallon, Matthew W., Jr., Boston			6,100	91.50	91.50
Fitchburg R. R. Co.			900	13.50	13.50
Gile, Flora J., Concord			150	2.25	2.25
Gourgas, Francis R., Heirs of, Concord			50	.75	.75
Graves, Albert S., Brookline	25	.38	16,000	240.00	240.38
Green, Grace, Wisconsin			100	1.50	1.50
Grimwood, Henry A., Weston			100	1.50	1.50
Harrington, T. F., Waltham	6,650	99.75	7,100	106.50	101.25
Hay, Robert, Melrose			5,500	82.50	106.50
Hayden, Nellie B., Lexington			200	3.00	82.50
Higginson, Henry L., Est., Boston			70,000	1,050.00	3.00
Homes, Sarah E., Somerville			200	3.00	1,050.00
Hunt, Lewis E., Somerville			1,000	15.00	3.00
Jenks, Albert R., W. Acton			1,500	22.50	15.00
Kaizer, Horace, Concord			2,500	37.50	22.50
Keyes, Prescott, Concord			11,000	165.00	37.50
Locke, Isaac, Heirs of, Boston			200	3.00	165.00
Loring, Augustus, P., Jr., Boston			4,500	67.50	3.00
Lovett, Robert W., Boston			6,000	90.00	67.50
Lima, Anthony J., Lexington			500	7.50	90.00
					7.50

Lynsky, Thomas, Waltham.....	200	3.00	2,500	37.50	40.50
Malloy, Mrs. John, Waltham			600	9.00	9.00
Marr, John W., Waltham.....			1,000	15.00	15.00
McGrath, Patrick, Concord.....			1,050	15.75	15.75
Munroe Felt & Paper Co., Boston			1,000	15.00	15.00
Neville, Henry P., Bedford.....			850	12.75	12.75
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.....	10,981	164.72	3,600	54.00	218.72
Norton, Mrs. T. M., Ayer			15	.23	.23
Paine, Horace G., Concord			150	2.25	2.25
Paul, Maria H., Boston			1,500	22.50	22.50
Pope, Amelia V., Joplin, Mo.....			10,000	150.00	150.00
Richardson, Annett, Weston			300	4.50	4.50
Richardson, T. C., Weston.....			150	2.25	2.25
Rodman, Emma, Nahant.....			5,000	75.00	75.00
Rogers, Edward H., Cambridge.....	1,850	27.75	12,000	180.00	207.75
Root, Frank K., Chicago			600	9.00	9.00
Scully, James J., Cambridge.....			5,000	75.00	75.00
Shaw, Nellie S., Woburn.....			100	1.50	1.50
Sherman, Herbert A., Weston.....			100	1.50	1.50
Smith, Eugene H., Waltham.....			100	1.50	1.50
Smith, Eliza A., Portsmouth, N. H.....			200	3.00	3.00
Stewart, Frank, Waltham.....			100	1.50	1.50
Storrow, Helen O., Boston.....			4,000	60.00	60.00
Storrow, James J., Boston.....	7,600	114.00	141,000	2,115.00	2,229.00
Stow, Elizabeth, Concord			200	3.00	3.00
Thorndike, Sturgis H., Boston	28	.42	2,000	30.00	30.42
Walker, A. Bruce, Milwaukee, Wis.....			250	3.75	3.75

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Western Union Tel. Co.....	2,555	38.33			38.33
Wheeler, Frank, Est., Concord.....			2,500	37.50	37.50
Wheeler, Henry A., Weston.....			100	1.50	1.50
Wheelwright, Mary C., Boston	2,675	30.13	15,000	225.00	255.13
White, Robert, Lexington.....			1,000	15.00	15.00
Wilcox, Charlotte W., New Bedford....	500	7.50	6,000	90.00	97.50
Woodward, Arthur, Weston.....			1,000	15.00	15.00
Worcester Alice, Waltham.....			1,000	15.00	15.00

TREASURER'S REPORT

The Receipts into the Treasury for the Year 1923 have been as follows:

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand January 1, 1923.....	\$ 29,644.77
T. L. Giles, Collector of Taxes.....	38,437.40
Highway Department—local.....	241.25
“ “ “ “ from Highway State Aid (Town).....	945.00
“ “ “ “ from Mass. State Aid.....	2,800.00
“ “ “ “ from Mass. Special (Town).....	1,260.00
“ “ “ “ from Mass.....	3,000.00
“ “ “ “ Spec. “ “ from Middlesex.....	3,000.00
Moth Department.....	772.37
School Department.....	938.32
“ “ “ “ Mass. account Transportation High School pupils.....	883.43
“ “ “ “ Lincoln Grammar School Fund Trustees.....	59.36
“ “ “ “ Salary overpaid.....	82.73
“ “ “ “ Mass. Vocational Education.....	188.00
“ “ “ “ Mass. Tuition of children.....	1,516.98
“ “ “ “ Mass. General School Fund.....	1,686.00
Concord Court.....	183.00
District Nurse, from Sudbury January 10th.....	122.50
“ “ “ “ Sudbury February 16.....	65.00
“ “ “ “ Girls' Scouts, Lincoln.....	22.75
“ “ “ “ Lincoln School.....	400.00
“ “ “ “ Nurse.....	70.60
Town Hall, from Lincoln Grange 1922.....	42.00
Dog Tax, 1922.....	223.49
Town Hall, use of.....	30.00
Massachusetts, Account Civilian Poll Tax.....	42.00
“ “ “ “ Corporation tax.....	135.54
“ “ “ “ Corporation tax 1923.....	50.42
“ “ “ “ Inspector of animals.....	30.91
“ “ “ “ Income Tax, etc.....	21,340.61
Massachusetts, Income Tax 1920.....	38.00
“ “ “ “ 1921.....	222.50
“ “ “ “ 1922.....	378.00
Gift to Town, Anonymous.....	5,000.00
Transfer from Water Account.....	5,000.00
Cambridge Tax.....	243.46
Miscellaneous.....	1.40
Lincoln Library.....	200.00
Massachusetts, Account Codman Road.....	3,145.90
Middlesex County, Account Codman Road.....	3,145.90
Interest on Deposit.....	404.92

\$125,994.51

EXPENDITURES

Massachusetts Corporation Tax, 105.97 and 108.23.....	\$ 214.20
Middlesex County Tax.....	2,658.49
Lincoln Water Account, transfer returned.....	5,000.00
Selectmen's orders.....	89,072.23
Balance on hand, Anonymous gift.....	5,000.00
Balance on hand, January 1, 1924.....	24,049.59

REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Uncollected Taxes

1922	\$513.22
1923	3,609.16

Total	\$4,122.38
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THOMAS L. GILES, *Collector.*

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT

Outstanding Bonds January 1, 1924

Issue of 1900 due 1930 Coupon $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, J. & D.....	\$10,000.00
Issue of 1900 due 1930 Reg'd. $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, J. & D. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts).....	13,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Coupon $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & S.....	6,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Reg'd. $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & S. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts)	3,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & S.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1906 due 1936 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	14,000.00
Issue of 1907 due 1937 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	4,000.00
Issue of 1907 Serial Coupon 4s, M. & S. (\$500 due each year)	2,000.00
	\$62,000.00

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

The Board of Water Commissioners respectfully submit the following report for the year 1923:

The whole plant is in good running order except the cement lined pipe on the station road. The pumps were looked over by an expert pump man once during the year, as has been the custom since the new pump was installed, and the necessary work done on them. Most of the pumping is still done with no operator in attendance.

More demand for water near the further end of the Coan road will necessitate the extension of the pipe on that road to meet that on the Sherman Boyce road, thus making a loop supplying water from each end. This is the only extension for which the Board has had inquiries, and due to the increasing consumption of water on that circuit the Board recommends the extension, especially as the pipes to be connected are only four inch.

The Profit and Loss sheet shows that the Water Works has the largest cash balance in its history. It can also be seen that about twelve and one-half million gallons of water were pumped more than last year at a lower average cost per gallon.

Occasionally the Board has requests for permits to fish in the pond, and while it has always allowed the inhabitants such permits, it has consistently refused them to out-of-town people.

SUMNER SMITH,
JOHN J. KELLIHER,
ROBERT R. HUNTER,

Water Commissioners.

Summary of Statistics for Year Ending December 31, 1922

PUMPING STATISTICS

Rumsey Triplex Pump, 10½" x 12", 25 H.P. motor.

Rumsey Triplex Pump, 12" x 14", 40 H.P. motor.

Power furnished by Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston.

Total water pumped for year 89,681,000 gallons.

Cost of pumping, figured on Pumping Station's expenses (including salaries and power), \$30.54 per million gallons.

Cost of pumping, figured on Pumping Station expenses, power, salaries, interest, repairs and renewals and depreciation, \$211.20 per million gallons pumped.

Statistics Relating to Distribution System

Mains

1. Kind of pipe used, cement lined, cast iron, wood stave, galvanized iron.
2. Sizes, 1½" to 12".
3. Extended during the year, none.
4. Discontinued during the year, none.
5. Total now in use, 26.571 miles.
6. Number of hydrants added during the year, 0.
7. Number of hydrants replaced, 4.
8. Number of Hydrants (public and private) now in use, 126.
9. Number of stop-gates renewed, 1. Number of stop-gates added during the year, 0.
10. Number of stop-gates now in use, 136.
11. Number of blow-offs, 30.
12. Range of pressure on mains, 40 pounds to 100 pounds.

Services

13. Kind of pipe, galvanized iron and cement lined.
14. Sizes, ¾" to 4".
15. Renewed, 5. Discontinued, 0.
16. Number of service taps added during the year, 4.
17. Number now in use, 353.
18. Average length of service, 12'+.
19. Meters now in use, 13.

Water Report

PROFIT AND LOSS

Year ending December 31, 1923.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>
Expense	\$ 213.21	
Power	1,887.86	\$12,496.78
Salaries	851.12	1,254.45
Interest	2,335.00	117.36
Repairs and renewals	800.46	
Net Gain	7,780.94	
	<u>\$13,868.59</u>	<u>\$13,868.59</u>
ASSETS		LIABILITIES
Construction	\$187,410.22	Bonds outstanding
Sinking Fund	38,300.00	Town of Lincoln Loan 1912
Coal on hand	25.00	Surplus
Wire on hand	50.00	
Water bills uncollected	424.00	
Cash on hand	8,155.43	
	<u>\$234,364.65</u>	<u>\$234,364.65</u>

TREE WARDEN'S REPORT

I herewith submit a brief report on the work done on the trees and against the Gypsy and Browntail Moths for the year ending December 31, 1923.

The methods used in handling the Gypsy Moth, while not so extensive, were practically the same as in past years, creosoting nests on trees along the highways followed by spraying. I am pleased to say that the Gypsy Moth infestation is not as severe as it has been in past years, conditions as a whole show a marked improvement. We found it necessary to go through some of the orchards and remove the Brown Tail Moth webs so as to prevent further spread, but it is reasonable to expect very little, if any, future damage from this insect.

The work of removing the broken branches from the trees has been done on most of our highways, but there is still a large amount of work to be done cutting the brush and cleaning on all of the roadsides and while we will not have to expend a large amount of money on Moth work this year, we can spend the money to good advantage on this cleaning work and on the trees.

The total expenditure of this department is \$3,249.36, of which there has been charged to property owners \$766.44 on account of private work, leaving a net cost to the Town of \$2,482.92.

I recommend that \$3,500.00 be appropriated for Moth and tree work.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. KELLIHER.

LINCOLN PUPLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees on the following pages submit the report of the Treasurer and Librarian for the year ending December 31, 1923.

The Trustees ask for an appropriation of \$1,000.00 and the Dog Tax.

C. LEE TODD,
Chairman of the Trustees.

Report of the Treasurer of the Lincoln Public Library for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1923

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1922	\$298.11	Water Rate	\$10.00
Cash received from fines	37.65	Telephone	20.20
Interest on deposit	47	Light	53.13
Income from Liberty Bonds	8.50	Clerical Work	10.00
Income from Codman Fund	43.75	Supplies	16.92
Dog Tax Return	223.49	Sundries, by Librarians	18.54
Income from Trust Funds, as follows:		Repairs	39.68
George Russell Legacy	\$1.50	Fuel	370.68
John H. Pierce Legacy	54.79	Magazines	77.45
George G. Tarbell Legacy	136.19	Books	268.18
Julia A. Bemis Fund	60.18	Salary of Janitor	200.00
Abbie J. Stearns	12.68	Income of Pierce Fund, paid Librarians	54.79
		Salaries of Librarians	500.00
Town Appropriation	379.51		
	800.00	Total expenditure	\$1,639.57
		Balance on hand	151.91
			\$1,791.48

The Codman Fund is invested in five shares of Boston and Albany stock. The Trustees also hold Liberty 4¼'s to the amount of \$200. These securities are in the custody of the Commissioner of Trust Funds.

JOHN F. FARRAR,
Treasurer.

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY STATISTICS

Annual report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1923

Library open Wednesday and Saturday from 3 to 9 P.M.,
except legal holidays.

Number of volumes at beginning of year	11,374
Number of volumes added by purchase	134
Number of volumes added by gift	26
Number of volumes withdrawn during year	60
Number of volumes at the end of year	11,474
Number of volumes of fiction lent for home use	3,203
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent for home use	1,858
Number of volumes of children's books lent for home use	1,755
Total number of volumes lent for home use	6,816
Largest number of volumes lent in one day	122
Smallest number of volumes lent in one day	29
Number of days Library was open	101

During the year the following gifts have been received:
Three oil paintings and two large albums of European
photographs, bequest of Mr. B. D. Sweet. Andirons from
Mr. J. F. Farrar.

Books, magazines and pamphlets were presented by the
following persons:

Mr. J. de Cordova, a collection of books

Rev. H. C. Cunningham	1 vol.	Rev. E. E. Bradley,	pamphlet
D. Crocker.....	1 vol.	Mrs. W. Blodgett.	magazines
Mr. J. Lahey.....	2 vols.	Miss A. Barlett...	magazines
Miss E. Pierce.....	1 vol.	Mrs. W. Harrington,	
Hon. C. S. Smith....	10 vols.		pamphlet
Mr. J. W. Smith.....	1 vol.	Mr. D. Mann.....	pamphlet
Mrs. J. J. Storrow..	11 vols.	Miss J. Peirce....	pamphlet
Mary Tileston.....	2 vols.	Miss B. Scripture,	
Mrs. C. Wilcox.....	1 vol.		magazines
Dr. L. Wheeler.....	1 vol.		

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY STATISTICS

Accessions to the Library for 1923

FICTION

Babcock, Bernie. The soul of Abe Lincoln.....	776.25
Bailey, Temple. Dim lantern.....	776.4
Birmingham, George A. Found money.....	775.18
Birmingham, George A. The great grandmother.....	775.12
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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF LINCOLN
FOR THE
SCHOOL YEAR 1923



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, *Chairman*, Term expires 1925
 GEORGE G. TARBELL, *Secretary*, Term expires 1926
 EDITH B. FARRAR (MRS.) Term expires 1924

Principal and Acting Superintendent of Schools
 CHARLES M. ROBINSON

Teachers

Junior High School—Grades VII-VIII-IX

MARION D. PARKER
 EDELWEISS DYER
 ANN G. LETHOLA

Grade VI

MYRTLE C. ELLIOTT

Grade V

OLIVE E. CASE

Grade IV

HATTIE B. HEATH, Resigned
 RUTH E. READY

Grade III

DOROTHY M. THORNER

Grade II

VERA B. ALLEN

Grade I

JOSEPHINE C. DOHERTY

School Physician

DR. HENRY A. WOOD

School Nurse

LYDIA MOSHER, Resigned

EDITH H. BACKMAN

Attendance Officer

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Janitor

EDWARD GRAF

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Winter Term, first half, begins Wednesday, January 2, 1924, ends Thursday, February 21, 1924; eight weeks.

Winter Term, second half, begins Monday, March 3, 1924, ends Friday, April 18, 1924; seven weeks.

Spring Term, begins Monday, April 28, 1924, ends Friday, June 13, 1924; seven weeks.

Fall Term, begins Monday, September 8, 1924, ends Tuesday, December 23, 1924; 16 weeks.

Winter Term, begins Monday, January 5, 1925.

Length of school year 1924-25, thirty-eight weeks.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The Committee organized for the year with Anthony J. Doherty, Chairman, and George G. Tarbell, Secretary.

During the year past a number of changes have taken place in the teaching staff. Several teachers resigned to take positions elsewhere and several gave up teaching to be married. We still seem to be faced with the problem of not being able to retain our teachers for any length of time. We are glad to say, however, that the reason is not because the town is not paying good salaries, as the salaries now paid are equal and in many cases better than those paid in other towns of a similar size and like situation. The greatest difficulty the town faces is in providing places in town in which the teachers may live. It is fortunate, however, that several of our teachers live in Waltham and belong there, and several others are able to find suitable living quarters in Waltham, and can take advantage of the jitney to get to and from the school.

Certain changes in class and study arrangements have been made in the past year as will be more specifically explained and referred to in the report of the acting superintendent.

The opening of the South School is working out very satisfactorily and has proved ideal in so far as the younger children are by themselves, which in itself is a great advantage to them.

The matter of transportation is still more or less a troublesome one. All sections of the town, however, are given attention in this respect. The congestion in the barges operating from the south part of the town has not been relieved or improved, and in the near future this section will need particular

attention. During the year the committee was able to enter into an arrangement whereby Mr. Dee secured an auto-truck and the children from that section have been benefited greatly. The time that they are on the road is very materially lessened and the territory covered larger.

The schools are being conducted under the supervision of Mr. Charles M. Robinson, who is principal and acting superintendent. Last year the Committee were notified that the town must enter into a superintendency union with some other towns, but as yet no such union has been formed and until such arrangement is completed the town will be obliged to be without an actual superintendent. The present arrangement, however, is working out quite satisfactorily.

School Finances

For the year 1923, the Committee has been able to keep within the appropriation made for the support of the schools and in fact a small unexpended balance remains. The town has received from the Commonwealth and other sources on account of schools the sum of \$5,334.82, summary of school expenses and receipts is attached to and included in this report.

The school building in the center of the town should be given very particular attention, painting and minor repairs should be made to the inside of the building. Very little has been done to the inside of the building since its erection, and the Committee feels that work of this nature should be done during the coming Summer vacation.

As has been the recommendation of the Committee for several years, an appropriation should be made to grade the Center School grounds and put the same in condition for proper use for the children of the school. A general plan for the use of the grounds as a town playground should not in any way interfere or postpone longer the putting of the grounds in

proper condition for the use of the school children, and it is earnestly hoped that this matter will be attended to also during the coming Summer vacation.

It will be necessary to appropriate for the schools for the present year, 1924, the amount of \$28,500.00 (twenty-eight thousand five hundred dollars). The Committee can see no reason for any extraordinary increase in any of the school departments for the coming year.

The Acting Superintendent's report is hereto annexed and all matters referring to the conduct of the schools and the administration thereof is included therein.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY,
GEORGE G. TARBELL,
EDITH B. FARRAR.

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES FOR YEAR 1923

Salaries, Prin., Teachers and Janitor.....	\$13,209.73
Supplies	362.72
Misc. Expenses of Operation	140.24
Books	227.27
High School Transportation	962.55
Miscellaneous	201.16
High School Tuition	4,016.99
Local Transportation	6,179.00
Physician and Nurse	603.03
New Equipment	35.50
Repairs on Building	108.21
Fuel	1,047.16
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	\$27,093.56

RECEIPTS ON ACCOUNT OF SCHOOLS

City of Boston Tuition of Pupils, 1922.....	\$938.32
Com. of Mass. High School Trans., 1922.....	883.43
Trustees Lincoln Grammar School Fund.....	59.36
Mary C. Wade, Salary Returned	82.73
Com. of Mass. Voc. and Ind. Schools	188.00
Com. of Mass. Tuition of Pupils	390.72
Com. of Mass. Tuition of Pupils	1,126.26
Com. of Mass. General School Fund	1,686.00
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	\$5,354.82

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Committee:

I hereby submit the annual Superintendent's report.

There have been several changes in the teaching force during the past year. On February 1, 1923, Mrs. Mary Chace Wade resigned her position as teacher of the fifth grade on account of ill health. Mrs. Robinson completed the school year in that grade. Miss Olive E. Case of Barkhamsted, Conn., was elected as fifth grade teacher for the year 1923-24.

Miss Dorothy M. Thorner of Marblehead, Mass., is teaching the third grade in place of Miss Wheaton, who resigned early in September because of ill health.

Miss Edelweiss Dyer of Newton Center, a graduate of Smith College, is teaching English and Latin in the Junior High School in place of Miss Caverno, who resigned in June.

Miss Ruth E. Ready of Somerville has just been engaged to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Miss Heath, who leaves for a position in the Waltham system at advanced salary. Miss Heath had been elected as fourth grade teacher after Miss Rich had resigned in June to be married.

Last year two teachers besides the principal were teaching all the subjects in the three grades of the Junior High School. As the principal could not give full time to teaching the task was rather difficult. It was not impossible, however, as there were but 48 pupils in the three grades.

At the opening of school in the Fall we found 67 pupils enrolled in the Junior High School. An increase of 19 pupils showed the absolute necessity of getting another teacher. The committee felt that they could more profitably procure a

teacher who could devote part time to Domestic Science and the balance in the Junior High. As a consequence Miss Ann G. Lethola, a graduate of Framingham Normal School, was elected to this position. The changes in the system made possible by an additional teacher are described below.

At the present time the school is at the peak of its economic situation in regard to teachers. Whereas in past years it has been possible in certain cases to have two grades in a room under one teacher, the number of pupils will no longer allow it. We now have a teacher for every grade—something which Lincoln has not had in the past. At the present time the average number of pupils in each grade is twenty-five, and while this number may be increased without additional teachers, it is impossible to combine any of the grades. To show the citizens how the school has grown in the past few years I submit the membership taken at the end of the fall term for each year.

1918—151 pupils

1919—185 “

1920—199 “

1921—207 “

1922—216 “

1923—224 “

The increase in the number of pupils in the Junior High School this Fall necessitated the change of some of the classrooms. Grades 5 and 6 were put on the first floor in order that the entire Junior High might be together on the second floor. The small room on the second floor in the front of the building, originally intended for a cooking room, is now used as a regular class room.

The present administration realized last Spring that considerable individual work was needed with the slower pupils, especially in the upper grades. With the addition of another teacher last Fall, we found it possible to meet the above need

in the Junior High by the reorganization of grades 7 and 8. The membership of these two grades has been divided into three divisions according to ability and achievement, and the course of study in each division has been modified to meet the ability and needs of the pupils in that particular division. In this way more attention can be given to the slower and retarded pupils, and at the same time allow those of superior ability to advance as rapidly as they are able. Our aim is to eliminate as far as possible the retarded pupils, which we believe are too numerous, as is shown by the age-grade table at the end of this report.

The Principal has also been giving special attention to backward pupils in the intermediate grades, whereas this was impossible last year. He has been successful in some cases in eliminating the causes of the pupils' poor work, thereby bringing them up to grade in a short time.

This Fall, cooking was again started for girls of the sixth and seventh grades, each grade being given two periods a week. This project has been very successful owing to the fact that the teacher has been especially trained in this field.

As the girls are having cooking, we believe the boys should be given a little Manual Training work—not to develop skilled carpenters or mechanics, but to teach how to properly handle the tools which most men have to use around the home. At the same time we could explore the pupils' ability in this field, and if some are found to be very efficient with tools their efforts can be guided along this line. To illustrate the fact that many pupils will eventually go into industrial work we need only to state that five pupils from Lincoln are now attending the Boston Trade School and one in the Somerville Vocational School.

In previous years part of the school appropriations has been used to purchase athletic equipment for the school. Such equipment was—of necessity—very inadequate. To save school

appropriations for other purposes and at the same time to make the pupils realize they ought to earn their own equipment, the writer had the pupils give a Play, "Mr. Bob," in the Town Hall on May 4, 1923. The entire proceeds of the play, over a hundred dollars, was used to purchase baseballs, bats, gloves, footballs and other athletic equipment for both boys and girls at the school. Thus while plenty of material for play is provided for Fall and Spring months, the children are in great need of a playroom for stormy days.

Hot cocoa was served to the pupils in both schools from the first of January to the Spring vacation in April. The total cost was \$175.86, of which \$100.00 was given by the Grange, \$10.00 by the American Legion, \$10.00 by the Girl Scouts and the balance by individual pupils and parents. If there was some cocoa left over after being served at the luncheon period, certain underweight pupils were given a second cup with the result that the number of underweights had decreased greatly by the middle of April. This year the entire making and serving of the cocoa is under the efficient direction and supervision of the Domestic Science teacher, thereby assuring us of plenty of good, wholesome cocoa at the minimum cost. In the Fall \$63 was raised for the Cocoa Fund by pupils in the Junior High School selling subscriptions to the Ladies' Home Journal. \$100.00 from the proceeds of the Grange Play has been donated again this year.

Last Fall the North Lincoln barge was motorized, making the situation in that part of the town much better than before. As the barges from South Lincoln are crowded beyond their proper capacity, the transportation facilities in that part of the town will need improvement in the near future. The South Lincoln pupils are left at the Center School at eight o'clock and do not leave the school in the afternoon until almost three, thereby making a very long day for the pupils and a troublesome problem for the teachers of proper supervision of the pupils before and after school.

During the past year the school has had the services of two different nurses. Miss Lydia Mosher served until Summer and Miss Backman as appointed in September. Two epidemics of disease have spread through the schools—measles last Spring and mumps this Fall. In both cases the nurse handled the situation very efficiently. The following is the report of the work done by the nurse since October 1, 1923.

Eyes and ears of all pupils in South and Centre Schools examined. Eight pupils were found to have defective eyes, and notices of advice were sent to their parents.

October 1923—all pupils were weighed and measured. Thirty-three were found to be 10% or more underweight. These pupils have been weighed monthly, and all have gained satisfactorily.

January, 1924, all pupils again weighed and measured. Thirty were found to be 10% or more underweight. 149 pupils were seen privately at school, treated or advised. 7 children were taken home from school because of illness. 158 home, or "follow-up" visits were made. 66 cases of mumps were reported.

Both schools were visited daily, each room visited separately, and the pupils carefully examined for unclean hands, finger-nails, impetigo and symptoms of mumps or any other contagious diseases.

A few "emergency" supplies were purchased for the schools. One telephone call for advice was received and 3 home calls of advice were made.

Middlesex County Dental Clinic cards have been distributed among the pupils. Sixty have already applied for treatment, but there are still cards which have not been returned to me, so the number of applicants may yet be increased. The work will be conducted here during the latter part of February. Fifteen days were spent in the Sudbury schools.

EDITH H. BACKMAN, *School Nurse.*

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the School Committee, teachers and parents for the co-operation and courtesy extended to me during the past year, and to remind the citizens that I am always willing and glad to receive suggestions for the betterment of the public schools.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES M. ROBINSON,
Acting Superintendent of Schools.

Statistics for Year Ending June 30, 1923

Pupils enrolled,	225
Boys,	118
Girls,	107
Pupils for whom town paid tuition elsewhere,	40
Non-resident pupils attending school in Lincoln,	21
Average daily attendance,	188
Number of days schools were in session,	170
Average membership	208
Registration of minors, April 1, 1923:	
5 years and under 7,	41
7 years and under 14,	165
14 years and under 16,	38
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Membership by Age and Grade, June 30, 1923

Age	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Total
Grade I.	16	12	4										32
II.		9	4	6	2	0	1						22
III.			11	12	2	1							26
IV.			2	10	11	3	2						28
V.				1	9	10	7	5	1	2			35
VI.					2	11	9	1	2	2			27
VII.						1	4	5	6	5	1		22
VIII.							2	4	8	3	2		19
IX.								2	2	7	2	1	14
Total	16	21	21	29	26	26	25	17	19	19	5	1	225

NOTICE:

Business Meeting, Monday, March 3rd, at 1 P. M.

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said
County: GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote at Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Monday, the third day of March next at one o'clock P. M., then and there to act on all of the following Articles, except Article 2, and to meet in said Town Hall on Tuesday, the fourth day of March next at 12:30 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following Article 2, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the third day of March next:

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Tuesday, March 4th, will be open at 12:30 o'clock P. M. and may be closed at 6:30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other officers required by law to be elected by Australian ballot:

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector for one year.

One Auditor for one year.

Two Constables for one year.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of Trustees for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

Also to vote "Yes" or "No" upon the following question:

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages in this Town?"

ART. 3. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees and officers required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

ART. 4. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

ART. 5. To appropriate money for necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

ART. 6. To determine the manner of collecting taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 7. To determine the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year, beginning January 1st, 1924, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor payable in one year from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will authorize and direct the Town Treasurer to pay to the Sinking Fund Commission the \$5,000 received from an anonymous giver, the income to be used for recreation in the Town as per the letter of transmittal.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will authorize and direct the Selectmen to prepare and execute a deed to the First Parish in all respects like the deed given by the Town to the Parish and executed by a Committee elected for that purpose.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will authorize the Water Commissioners to extend the water main from its terminus near the estate of Thomas Coan to connection with existing water pipes on Sudbury Road (so-called), and provide funds for the cost of the same by an issue of bonds, notes or otherwise, or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will authorize the employment of a Visiting Nurse or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200, or some other amount, and elect a director, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the County Agricultural Trustees of the Middlesex County Bureau of Agriculture and Home Economics, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts.

HEREOF FAIL NOT

And make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 18th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

By-Laws of the Town of Lincoln

"ARTICLE I.

TOWN MEETINGS.

Section 1. The annual town meeting shall be held on the first Monday of March in each year.

Sect. 2. Notice of every town meeting shall be given by posting copies of the warrant calling the same, attested by the officer making service thereof, in each of the post-offices within the town, and in one of the churches, or one other public place, within the town, not less than seven days before the day appointed for such meeting. But when, in the judgment of the selectmen, the interests of the town require a meeting to be held without giving so long a notice, a meeting may be called by posting attested copies of the warrant in the places above mentioned, and by leaving a printed copy thereof at each dwelling-house within the town, at least three days before the time appointed for the meeting; provided that in such cases the selectmen shall certify that, in their opinion, the interests of the town require that a town meeting be called upon a notice of less than seven days, which certificate shall be made upon, or attached to, the original warrant, and shall be served as a part thereof.

ARTICLE II.

FINANCES.

Section 1. The financial year shall commence with the first day of January and end with the thirty-first day of December annually.

Sect. 2. The town treasurer shall have the custody of all funds belonging to the town except sinking funds, trust funds and funds for which other provision is made by law; and he shall pay no money from the treasury except upon a draft signed by a majority of the selectmen, stating the account to which the same is chargeable. Such draft shall be sufficient authority to the treasurer to pay the same, and the payment thereof shall discharge him from all liability on account of the money so paid.

Sect. 3. The water commissioners and all other boards, committees and officers shall, on the first day of each month, pay to the town treasurer all sums collected by them the month previous to the custody of which the treasurer is entitled.

Sect. 4. A majority of the water commissioners, school committee, or of any board, or committee, and any officer having charge of the expenditure of an appropriation, shall approve in writing all accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls properly chargeable to such appropriation, and shall transmit the same with his or their approval to the selectmen. All other accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls shall be examined by the selectmen and, if proper, shall be approved by them. The selectmen shall label all accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls which have been approved either by themselves or by the other officers before mentioned, and shall keep a record thereof in a book kept for the purpose, stating the persons to whom payable, the amounts and dates thereof, and the funds, or appropriations, from which the same are payable.

Sect. 5. Drafts signed by a majority of the selectmen, stating the accounts to which the same are chargeable, shall be drawn upon the treasurer for the payment of all sums by law payable from the treasury to the commonwealth or county, final judgments of courts, bonds, notes, and scrip of the town and interest thereon and money payable to the commissioners of the sinking fund and to the trustees of the public library; and also for the payment of all accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls which have been approved in the manner provided in the previous section. Such drafts shall not be negotiated, but shall be transmitted by the selectmen directly to the treasurer accompanied by the approved bills or other documents for the settlement of which the drafts are drawn.

Sect. 6. The treasurer shall file and safely keep all approved and receipted accounts, claims, bills, and pay-rolls, and all vouchers, cancelled bonds, notes, scrip, and other evidences of indebtedness of the town which have been paid from the treasury.

Sect. 7. No draft shall be drawn by the selectmen unless there is sufficient appropriation to pay the same, except for sums by law payable to the commonwealth or county, final judgments of courts, bonds, notes and scrip of the town and interest thereon, and money payable to the commissioners of the sinking fund.

Sect. 8. The selectmen and treasurer respectively shall make a record, in a book kept for the purpose, of each appropriation, with a list of the drafts drawn against such appropriation, and shall make a record of all bonds, notes, scrip or other evidence of indebtedness of the town, signed or countersigned by them.

Sect. 9. When the bills contracted or approved by any board, committee, or officer have exhausted the entire appropriation for such board, committee or officer, they shall

incur no further expenditure, except in cases where such expenditure may be required by law; and it shall be the duty of each board, committee or officer before the close of the financial year to approve all accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls chargeable to their appropriation. During the interval between the thirty-first day of December in each year and the time of making the next annual appropriations, the selectmen, school committee and water commissioners, in order to meet the liabilities of their several departments, incurred in the carrying on of the work entrusted to them, shall have authority to make expenditures and payments from the treasury from any available funds therein, and the same shall be charged against the next annual appropriation. Such expenditures and liability incurred for any purpose shall not exceed one-fourth the entire amount appropriated for that purpose in the previous year.

Sect. 10. Unless the town shall expressly otherwise vote, no extension of water pipes shall be made unless before the work of construction is begun one or more of the persons whom it is proposed to supply with water by means of such extension, shall file with the town clerk a bond with sureties satisfactory to the water commissioners, conditioned to pay to the town for five years next following the completion of such extension and the letting of water into the same, a sum sufficient, together with the net annual income from such extension, to amount annually to five per centum of the total cost thereof.

ARTICLE III.

TOWN SEAL.

Section 1. The design of the town seal shall be: a circle, in the border the words "Lincoln. Incorporated in 1746 as a precinct; in 1754 as a Town"; in the center, a shield, in

the chief or upper part of which on a cross, gules, a fleur-de-lis, gold, from the old seal of Lincoln, England, and in the base of the shield a view of the present town hall; crest, the old chestnut tree standing upon the common in Lincoln; in saltire two shepherd's crooks; the device thereof being as follows:

Sect. 2. All deeds and other legal documents made, given or entered into by the town requiring a seal shall be sealed with the town seal, and signed in behalf of the town by a majority of the selectmen.

Sect. 3. The town clerk shall have the custody of the town seal.

ARTICLE IV.

RECORDS.

Section 1. The town clerk shall record in full in a book kept for the purpose all written contracts, deeds and other instruments to which the town is a party except such instruments as may by law be recorded in the Registry of Deeds; and it shall be the duty of any board or officer executing or receiving such written contract, or other instrument, to deliver the same forthwith to the town clerk for the purpose of record. It shall be the duty of the town clerk to see that all conveyances of real estate to the town are properly recorded in the Registry of Deeds.

Sect. 2. Except in cases of public calamity or extreme necessity, whenever any work is required to be done for the Town or any contract for labor or materials, or both is to be made in behalf of the Town, for an amount exceeding the sum of \$500.00, the town officer, having the matter in charge, shall solicit proposals for the same from two or more reliable parties, regularly engaged or employed in such work or business,

or shall publicly advertise for bids, but no contract shall be split, separated or divided for the purpose of reducing the amount thereof below said sum of \$500.00.

Sect. 3. The town clerk shall keep a file of all town reports, reports of all committees chosen by the town, and all original documents relating to the affairs of the town which may come into his possession.

ARTICLE V.

BOOKS.

Section 1. Books, records and laws received by the town from the commonwealth shall be deposited in the public library building.

Sect. 2. It shall be the duty of the town officer by whom any book mentioned in the preceding section is received, to cause the same to be at once deposited in the public library building.

Sect. 3. Such books may be used by the inhabitants of the town within such building, and may be taken therefrom upon written receipt to the librarian for a period not exceeding one day at any one time for use in any town meeting, or by or before any committee or official of the town.

ARTICLE VI.

SUITS AND CONTROVERSIES.

Section 1. The selectmen may compromise claims and suits to which the town is a party, provided that they shall act upon the advice of counsel when the amount claimed by or against the town exceeds \$200.00.

Sect. 2. The selectmen shall have, unless it is otherwise voted by the town, full authority as agents of the town to institute and prosecute suits or other proceedings in the name of the town before any tribunal, to appear and represent or defend the town before any tribunal in all suits and other proceedings against the town or in which the town has an interest, to employ counsel for the purpose aforesaid and for other purposes when it may be expedient to do so, and to take all necessary and proper measures for the protection of the interests and rights of the town.

Sect. 3. If the town shall, at any meeting called for the purpose, choose a committee on claims, such committee shall have and exercise exclusively all the powers and duties conferred upon the selectmen by the two preceding sections.

ARTICLE VII.

REPORTS AND PUBLICATIONS BY THE TOWN.

Section 1. The annual reports of the town officers, boards and committees shall be prepared in form suitable for printing on or before the tenth day of February in each year. The selectmen shall cause such reports to be printed and distributed to the legal voters of the town seven days at least before the annual meeting.

Sect. 2. The selectmen shall cause to be printed and bound each year with the annual reports of the town officers, boards and committees, a copy of the records of the town meetings during the preceding year; a statement of all devices, bequests and donations to the town during the preceding year; a list of all laws of the commonwealth accepted by the town during the year; all by-laws adopted by the town since the preceding annual report; and a statement of all outstanding bonds, notes and obligations of the town for the payment of money.

Sect. 3. The selectmen shall from time to time cause to be printed a sufficient number of copies of the by-laws of the town and shall incorporate therewith a list of the laws of the commonwealth which have been accepted by the town.

ARTICLE VIII.

TRUANTS.

Section 1. Any minor being an habitual truant, and any child between the ages of seven and fifteen years found wandering about the streets or public places within the town having no lawful occupation or business, not attending school, and growing up in ignorance, and such children as persistently violate the reasonable rules and regulations of the public schools, may upon conviction thereof be committed to the Middlesex County Truant School at Chelmsford, Mass., or to any other place provided by the town within its limits, for confinement, instruction, and discipline.

ARTICLE IX.

PUBLIC REGULATIONS.

Section 1. No person shall coast upon any public street or part thereof after the selectmen have posted a notice prohibiting coasting upon such street or part thereof.

Sect. 2. No person, unless authorized by law, shall break or dig up any part of any street without a written permit therefor from the selectmen. Every person who after obtaining such permit shall obstruct or render unsafe any public street, shall guard the same by a proper fence or railing, and by lights during the night time, subject to the approval of the selectmen. Such permit may be revoked at any time.

Sect. 3. No person shall be or remain in any doorway, or upon any stairs, doorstep, portico or other projection from any house or building, or upon or against any wall or fence on or near any street or public place, after having been requested by the owner or any occupant of the premises or by any constable or police officer to remove therefrom.

Sect. 4. No person shall make, write, print, paint, cut or post any indecent or obscene marks, words, figures or signs upon any fence, building, post, tree or other object exposed to public view.

Sect. 5. No person shall wilfully injure, mar, deface or destroy any fence, signboard, guideboard, lamp-post, lamp or lantern in any street or public place, nor extinguish any street light, nor extinguish or remove any light placed to denote an obstruction or a defect in any public street or way, without proper authority to do so.

Sect. 6. Any person who shall offend against any of the provisions of this article shall forfeit and pay, for each offense, a sum not exceeding twenty dollars."



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TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1924-25

Town Clerk.

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

CHARLES S. SMITH (Chairman)	Term expires	1927
JOHN F. FARRAR	" "	1925
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	" "	1926

Assessors.

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN (Chairman)	Term expires	1926
WILLIAM C. PEIRCE	" "	1925
HERBERT G. FARRAR	" "	1927

Treasurer.

C. LEE TODD

Collector of Taxes.

THOMAS L. GILES

Auditor.

JAMES W. LENNON

Constables.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM

School Committee.

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY	Term expires	1925
EDITH B. FARRAR	" "	1927
GEORGE G. TARBELL	" "	1926

Water Commissioners.

JOHN J. KELLIHER	Term expires	1925
SUMNER SMITH	" "	1926
ROBERT R. HUNTER	" "	1927

Board of Health.

ROBERT D. DONALDSON	Term expires	1926
GEORGE G. TARBELL	" "	1927
MARTIN M. WELCH	" "	1925

Tree Warden.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Commissioners of Trust Funds.

CHARLES S. SMITH	Term expires	1927
C. LEE TODD	" "	1925
F. WINCHESTER DENIO	" "	1926

Trustees of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures.

EDWARD F. FLINT	Term expires	1927
C. LEE TODD	" "	1925
F. WINCHESTER DENIO	" "	1926

Cemetery Commissioners.

CHARLES S. SMITH	Term expires	1927
EDWARD F. FLINT	" "	1925
FRITZ CUNNERT	" "	1926

Field Drivers.

WATTER H. PORTER
WILLIAM J. BURGESS
CHARLES E. WOODHULL
GEORGE C. BROWNING

Fence Viewers.

DAVID C. BOWEN
WILLIAM H. SHERMAN

Surveyor of Lumber.

ELMER A. ROLLINS

Measurers of Wood and Bark.

JOHN F. FARRAR ELMER A. ROLLINS

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY JOHN T. CLARK

Trustees of Lincoln Library.

GEORGE G. TARBELL JOHN F. FARRAR
C. LEE TODD

CHARLES S. SMITH, *Chairman Selectmen ex-officio*
ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, *Chairman School Committee ex-officio*

Registrars.

CHARLES S. SMITH
ROBERT D. DONALDSON
March 29, 1924.

JOHN J. KELLIHER has this day been sworn as Forest Warden,
and Sealer of Weights and Measures.

By WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

May 24, 1924.

EDWARD J. HOGAN was this day sworn as Special Police for the year 1924.

By WILLIAM C. PEIRCE.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Proceedings of a Town Meeting held
March 5, 1924

Business Meeting, Monday, March 3rd, at 1 P.M.

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said
County: GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote at Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Monday, the third day of March next at one o'clock P. M., then and there to act on all of the following Articles, except Article 2, and to meet in said Town Hall on Tuesday, the fourth day of March next at 12:30 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following Article 2, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the fifth day of March next:

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Tuesday, March 4th, will be open at 12:30 o'clock P. M. and may be closed at 6.30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other officers required by law to be elected by Australian ballot:

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector for one year.

One Auditor for one year.

Two Constables for one year.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of Trustees for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

Also to vote "Yes" or "No" upon the following question :

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages in this Town?"

ART. 3. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees and officers required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

ART. 4. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

ART. 5. To appropriate money for necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

ART. 6. To determine the manner of collecting taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 7. To determine the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year, beginning January 1st, 1924, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor payable in one year

from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will authorize and direct the Town Treasurer to pay to the Sinking Fund Commission the \$5,000 received from an anonymous giver, the income to be used for recreation in the Town as per the letter of transmittal.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will authorize and direct the Selectmen to prepare and execute a deed to the First Parish in all respects like the deed given by the Town to the Parish and executed by a Committee elected for that purpose.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will authorize the Water Commissioners to extend the water main from its terminus near the estate of Thomas Coan to connection with existing water pipes on Sudbury Road (so-called), and provide funds for the cost of the same by an issue of bonds, notes or otherwise, or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will authorize the employment of a Visiting Nurse or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200, or some other amount, and elect a director, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the County Agricultural Trustees of the Middlesex County Bureau of Agriculture and Home Economics, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts.

HEREOF FAIL NOT.

And make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 18th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

The following return is on the back of the warrant:

Feb. 25, 1924.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy one in each of the Post Offices and one at the Railroad Station seven days before date of said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

Pursuant to the above Warrant the meeting was called to order at 1 o'clock P. M. by the Town Clerk who read the Warrant.

ART. 1 George G. Tarbell was chosen Moderator.

Voted to adjourn for one half hour.

Meeting was called to order at 1.45 P. M.

ART. 3 was taken up with the following result:

ART. 3.

Field Drivers.—

Walter H. Porter
William J. Burgess
Charles E. Woodhull
George C. Browning

Fence Viewers.—

David C. Bowen
William H. Sherman

Surveyors of Lumber.—

Elmer A. Rollins

Measurers of Wood and Bark.—

John F. Farrar
Elmer A. Rollins

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.—

Conrad P. Hatheway
John T. Clark

ART. 4. Voted. To accept the Reports of Town Officers, Commissioners, Committees, and Trustees, as printed in the Town Report.

ART. 5. A motion was made to appropriate \$27,500 for Schools. Motion not carried. The vote was, Yes, 35; No, 49.

Appropriations.—

For Schools, including transportation	\$28,500.00
“ Support of Poor	500.00
“ Highways and Bridges	12,000.00
“ South Great Road (taken from money in Treasury)	7,500.00
“ Library, Dog Tax and	800.00
“ Cemeteries (taken from Cemetery Fund)	500.00
“ Board of Health	500.00
“ Tree Warden	2,500.00
“ Miscellaneous Expenses	6,000.00
“ Hydrants and other Water Service	2,400.00
“ Waltham Hospital Free Bed	400.00
“ Street Lamps	1,800.00

" Fire Department	500.00
" District Nurse	750.00
" Payment of Water Bonds (taken from Water Works Income)	500.00
" Farm Bureau	200.00
" Independence Day Celebration	200.00

Voted. That the sum of \$15,000.00 be taken from money in the Treasury, \$7,500.00 to be expended on the South Great Road with State and County aid, \$7,500.00 to be used for general Town expenses.

ART. 6. Voted. That the taxes be collected the same as last year.

ART. 7. Voted. That the compensation of the tax collector be one and one-half per cent of the amount collected.

ART. 8. Voted. That the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow during the municipal year beginning January 1, 1924, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor, payable in one year from the date thereof, all debts incurred under authority of this vote, shall be paid from taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. Voted. That the Town Treasurer be hereby authorized and directed to pay over to the Trust Fund Commission, from money now in his hand the sum of \$5,000.00. This money has been received from an anonymous giver during the year of 1923. And that this fund to be known as the "Donald Gordon Recreation Fund."

ART. 10. Voted. That the Town authorize and direct the Selectmen to prepare and execute a deed to the First Parish in all respects like the deed given by the Town to the Parish, and executed by a Committee elected for that purpose.

ART. 11. Voted. That the Water Commissioners be authorized to extend the water pipes from its terminus near the estate of Thomas Coan, to connection with existing water pipes on the Sudbury Road (so-called) and that the payments be made from funds in the Water Works Treasury, said expense however, be charged to Water Works capital account.

ART. 12. Voted. That the Town authorize the employment of a Visiting Nurse, and that the sum of \$750.00 be appropriated.

ART. 13. Voted. That the sum of \$200.00 be appropriated for the use of the Middlesex County of Agriculture and Home Economics.

Voted to take up Article 5.

ART. 5. Voted. That the sum of \$200.00 be appropriated for the celebration of Independence Day, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Voted to adjourn.

Proceedings of the Annual Election of Town Officers, March 4, 1924

Meeting called to order by the Moderator at 12.30 o'clock P. M. Thomas J. Dee was sworn as Ballot clerk. Charles M. Robinson and A. Harriet Peirce were sworn as Tellers. The Polls were then declared open. At 6.30 P. M. the Polls were declared closed. There were 103 ballots cast, 62 men and 41 women having voted. This count agreed with the counter on the ballot box and the check list used by the ballot clerk.

The following is the result of the ballot.

Town Clerk.—

William C. Peirce	100 votes
Blank	3 “

Selectmen for 3 Years.—

Charles S. Smith	98 votes
George G. Tarbell	1 “
Blank	4 “

Assessor for 3 Years.—

Herbert G. Farrar	96 votes
Blank	7 “

Treasurer.—

C. Lee Todd	96 votes
Blank	7 “

Collector of Taxes.—

Thomas S. Giles	97 votes
Blank	6 “

Auditor.—

James W. Lennon	98 votes
Blank	5 votes

Constables.—

George E. Cunningham	87 votes
John J. Kelliher	90 “
Blank	15 “

School Committee for 3 Years.—

Edith B. Farrar	90 votes
Blank	13 “

Water Commissioner for 3 Years.—

Robert R. Hunter	94 votes
Blank	9 “

Board of Health for 3 Years.—

George G. Tarbell	93 votes
Blank	10 “

Tree Warden.—

John J. Kelliher	92 votes
Blank	11 “

Cemetery Commissioner for 3 Years.—

Charles S. Smith	95 votes
Blank	8 “

Commissioner of Trust Funds.—

Charles S. Smith (for 3 years)	96 votes
F. Winchester Denio (for 2 years)	79 “
Blank	9 “

Trustee for Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures.—

Edward F. Flint (for 3 years)	96 votes
F. Winchester Denio (for 2 years)	84 “
Blank	8 “

License Question.—

Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this Town.

Yes	27 votes
No	64 “
Blank	12 “

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY, APRIL 29, 1924

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
MIDDLESEX, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in Town Hall, Tuesday, the Twenty-ninth day of April, 1924, at 12.30 o'clock P. M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Seven delegates at large to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

Seven alternate delegates at large to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

Eight delegates at large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

Eight alternate delegates at large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

Two district delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party, 5th Congressional District.

Two alternate delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party, 5th Congressional District.

Four district delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, 5th Congressional District.

Four alternate district delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, 5th Congressional District.

The polls will be open from 12.30 to 6.30 P. M. and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1924.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

Lincoln, April 21, 1924.

I have served this Warrant by posting attested copies one in each of the Post Offices and one at the Railroad station seven days before date of said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

Pursuant to the above Warrant the meeting was called to order by John F. Farrar acting chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who read the Warrant, and administered the oath to Thomas J. Dee as Ballot Clerk and Charles M. Robinson and A. Harriet Peirce as Tellers. The Polls were declared

open at 12.30 P. M. The Polls were closed at 6.35 P. M. There were 84 Ballots cast, 45 men and 39 women having voted. There were 74 Republican and 10 Democratic ballots cast. This count agreed with the counter on the ballot box and with the check list used by the Ballot Clerk.

The result of the ballot was as follows:

REPUBLICAN PARTY

Delegates at Large.—

Channing H. Cox	73 votes
Henry Cabot Lodge	69 "
Frederick H. Gillett	67 "
William H. Butler	64 "
John H. Sherburne	65 "
Anna C. Bird	62 "
Jessie A. Hall	58 "

Alternate Delegates at Large.—

Pauline R. Thayer	62 votes
Elizabeth Putnam	60 "
Charles H. Innes	59 "
Robert M. Stevens	56 "
Mary B. Browne	56 "
John Jacob Rogers	70 "
Spencer Borden, Jr.	58 "

District Delegates Fifth District.—

Charles S. Smith	71 votes
Kimball G. Colby	56 "

Alternate District Delegates Fifth District.—

Victor Francis Jewett	56 votes
Charles P. Howard	58 "

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Delegates at Large.—

David I. Walsh	8 votes
Arthur Lyman	7 “
Joseph B. Ely	4 “
John F. Doherty	5 “
Helen A. MacDonald	3 “
Susan W. FitzGerald	5 “
Rose Herbert	1 “
Mary E. Meehan	2 “
Charles H. Cole	7 “

Alternate Delegates at Large.—

Arthur J. B. Cartier	3 votes
William A. O'Hearn	5 “
Jeremiah J. Healy	5 “
Edward A. Ginsburg	2 “
Dorothy Whipple Fry	4 “
Mary H. Quincy	3 “
Ann O'Keefe Heffernan	4 “
Mary Bacigalupo	1 “
William H. Doyle	4 “

District Delegates, Fifth District.—

Andrew E. Barrett	1 votes
Patrick W. Cox	1 “
John W. Daley	1 “
James H. Gilbride	0 “
Bernard J. Golden	2 “
Katherine F. McCarthy	3 “
Peter P. McMeninon	2 “
Humphrey O'Sullivan	3 “
Walter H. Wilcox	3 “

Alternate District Delegates, Fifth District.—

Michael H. Hoar
John J. Mullaney

3 votes
4 “

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR STATE PRIMARY

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
MIDDLESEX, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in Town Hall, Tuesday, the Ninth Day of September, 1924 at one o'clock P. M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor for this Commonwealth.

Lieutenant Governor for this Commonwealth.

Secretary of the Commonwealth for this Commonwealth.

Treasurer and Receiver General for this Commonwealth.

Auditor of the Commonwealth.

Attorney-General for this Commonwealth.

Senator in Congress for this Commonwealth.

Representative in Congress for 5th Congressional Dist.

Councillor for 6th Councillor District.

Senator for 5th Senatorial District.

Representative in General Court for 13th Representative District.

County Commissioners (2) for Middlesex County.

Register of Probate and Insolvency for Middlesex County.

County Treasurer for Middlesex County.

And for the Election of the following officers:

District Member of State Committee for each political party for the 5th Senatorial District.

Five members of the Republican Town Committee.

Five members of the Democratic Town Committee.

Two delegates to State Conventions of the Republican Party.

Two delegates to State Conventions of the Democratic Party.

All the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one ballot.

The polls will be open from one to eight P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-second day of August A. D. 1924.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

Lincoln, Sept. 1, 1924.

I have served this Warrant by posting attested copies at each of Post Offices and one at the Railroad Station seven days before date of said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

Pursuant to the above Warrant, the meeting was called to order by John F. Farrar, acting chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who read the Warrant. At 1 o'clock P. M. the polls were declared open. Thomas J. Dee and Ethel MacRae were sworn as Ballot Clerks, and Thomas L. Giles and A. Harriet Peirce were sworn as Tellers. At 8 o'clock P. M. the polls were declared closed. There were 174 ballots cast, 92 men and 82 women having voted.

The result of the ballot follows:

REPUBLICAN PARTY

For Governor.—

Alvan T. Fuller of Malden	41 votes
James Jackson of Westwood	118 “
Blanks	5 “

For Lieutenant Governor.—

Frank G. Allen of Norwood	141 votes
Blanks	23 “

For Secretary.—

Frederick W. Cook of Somerville	134 votes
Blanks	30 “

For Treasurer.—

Otis Allen of Lowell	7 votes
William A. Allen of Boston	9 “
James W. Bean of Cambridge	14 “
Fred J. Burrell of Medford	18 “
Horace A. Keith of Brockton	40 “
William S. Youngman of Boston	52 “
Blanks	24 “

For Auditor.—

Herbert W. Burr of Boston	31 votes
Alonzo B. Cook of Boston	81 “
Harold D. Wilson of Somerville	26 “
Blank	26 “

For Attorney General.—

Jay R. Benton of Belmont	134 votes
Blanks	30 “

For Senator in Congress.—

Louis A. Coolidge of Milton	30 votes
Frederick W. Dallinger of Cambridge	35 “
Frederick H. Gillett of Springfield	80 “
Blanks	19 “

For Congressman, Fifth District.—

John Jacob Rogers of Lowell	140 “
Blanks	24 “

For Councillor, Sixth District.—

Frank R. Bailey of Lowell	6 votes
Abel R. Campbell of Lowell	24 “
Charles S. Smith of Lincoln	144 “

For Senator, Fifth Middlesex District.—

Frederick P. Glazier of Hudson	102 votes
George G. Moyse of Waltham	45 “
Blanks	17 “

For Representative in General Court, Thirteenth Middlesex District.—

John M. Keyes of Concord	66 votes
J. Sidney Stone of Wayland	82 “
Blanks	16 “

For County Commissioner, Middlesex.—

William G. Andrew of Somerville	27 votes
Alfred G. Cutting of Weston	117 “
Andrew S. Wardwell of Cambridge	14 “
Walter C. Wardwell of Cambridge	81 “

For Register of Probate and Insolvency, Middlesex County.—

Arthur C. Coker of Somerville	6 votes
Charles N. Harris of Winchester	53 “
Russell A. Wood of Cambridge	45 “
Blanks	60 “

For County Treasurer, Middlesex.—

Charles E. Hatfield of Newton	131 votes
Blanks	33 “

For State Committee, Fifth Middlesex District.—

Charles S. Smith of Lincoln	1 vote
John F. Farrar of Lincoln	1 “

For Delegates to State Convention, Lincoln.—

Robert D. Donaldson	132 votes
Amos R. Little	112 “

For Town Committee.—

Georgiana Crenner	75 votes
Robert D. Donaldson	82 “
Hope Hunt	72 “
Robert R. Hunter	84 “
Charles S. Smith	104 “
Sarah Brooks	1 “
Bertha Scripture	1 “

DEMOCRATIC PARTY**For Governor.—**

James M. Curley of Boston	10 votes
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For Lieutenant Governor.—

Thomas J. Boynton of Arlington	5 votes
John J. Cummings of Boston	1 “
William A. O'Hearn of North Adams	0 “
Blanks	4 “

For Secretary.—

H. Oscar Rocheleau of Worcester	5 votes
Blanks	5 “

For Auditor.—

Blank	10 “
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For Attorney General.—

John E. Swift of Milford	5	“
Blank	5	“

For Senator in Congress.—

David I. Walsh of Fitchburg	10	votes
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For Congressman, Fifth District.—

Humphrey O'Sullivan of Lowell	5	votes
Blank	5	“

For Councillor, Sixth District.—

Blank	10	votes
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For Senator Fifth Middlesex District

John O'C. Fitzgerald of Marlborough	6	votes
Blank	4	“

For Representative in General Court, Thirteenth Middlesex District.—

Michael J. Collins of Concord	7	votes
Blanks	3	“

For County Commissioners, Middlesex.—

Blanks	10	votes
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For Register in Probate and Insolvency, Middlesex County.—

John R. Butler of Wakefield	5	votes
Blanks	5	“

For County Treasurer, Middlesex.—

Charles E. Hatfield of Newton	3 votes
Daniel F. McBride of Medford	1 “
Blanks	6 “

For State Committee, Fifth Middlesex District.—

P. Joseph McManus of Concord	5 votes
Blanks	5 “

For Delegates to State Convention.—

A. J. Doherty	1 vote
M. M. Welch	1 “

For Town Committee.—

A. J. Doherty	2 votes
T. L. Giles	2 “
M. M. Welch	2 “
T. J. Dee	1 “

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,

Town Clerk.

Proceedings of the Presidential Election,
November 4, 1924

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To any Constable in the Town of Lincoln, in said County:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Lincoln, duly qualified to vote in the election of National, State and County Officers, to assemble at Town Hall, on Tuesday, November 4th, at seven o'clock in the forenoon, to give in their votes for the following officers, viz.: Presidential Electors; Governor; Lieutenant Governor; Secretary; Treasurer; Auditor; Attorney-General; Senator in Congress; Congressman; Councillor; Senator; Representative in General Court; County Commissioners (2); Register of Probate and Insolvency; County Treasurer; and any other officer required by law to be chosen in the month of November of the current year.

All officers enumerated above are to be designated and voted for on one ballot, and also the following questions:

QUESTIONS.

Acceptance of the following "PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION."

ARTICLE OF AMENDMENT.

Article III of the Amendments to the Constitution, as amended, is hereby further amended by striking out, in the first line, the word "male."

ARTICLE OF AMENDMENT.

Section 1. No person shall be deemed to be ineligible to hold state, county or municipal office by reason of sex.

Section 2. Article IV of the articles of amendment of the constitution of the commonwealth, as amended by Article LVII of said amendments, is hereby further amended by striking out the words "Change of name shall render the commission void, but shall not prevent reappointment under the new name," and inserting in place thereof the following words:—Upon the change of name of any woman, she shall re-register under her new name and shall pay such fee therefor as shall be established by the general court.

"LAWS SUBMITTED UPON REFERENDUM AFTER
PASSAGE."

Acceptance of Chap. 370, Acts of 1923, entitled "An Act relative to intoxicating liquors and certain non-intoxicating beverages."

Acceptance of Chap. 454, Acts of 1923, entitled "An Act to provide funds toward the cost of construction and maintenance of highways and bridges by means of an excise tax on gasoline and other fuel used for propelling motor vehicles upon or over the highways of the commonwealth."

Acceptance of Chap. 473, Acts of 1923, entitled "An Act relating to deposits with others than banks."

Acceptance of Chap. 210, Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act to ascertain the will of the people with reference to the retention of the daylight saving law, so-called."

Acceptance of Chap. 509, Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act to ascertain the opinion of the people of the commonwealth as to the ratification of the proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States empowering the Congress to limit, regulate and prohibit the labor of persons under eighteen years of age."

The Polls to be opened at seven o'clock A. M., and may be closed at seven o'clock P. M., and you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy thereof in each of the Post Offices and one of the churches, or in some other public place, seven days at least before the day appointed for said meeting, and to make seasonable return thereof with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk.

HEREOF FAIL NOT.

Given under our hands, this twenty-fifth day of October, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and twenty-four.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

Oct. 27, 1924.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and one in Railroad Station seven days before date of said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

Pursuant to the above Warrant the meeting was called to order at 7 o'clock A. M. by Charles S. Smith, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who read the Warrant. Thomas J. Dee, Edith C. Stone, and Mary M. Dougherty were sworn as ballot

clerks, Thomas L. Giles, A. Harriet Peirce, Georgiana Crenner, George G. Tarbell, Robert D. Donaldson, Jr., were sworn as Tellers. The polls were then declared open. At 7.15 P. M. the polls were closed. There were 484 ballots cast, 267 men and 217 women having voted. This count agreed with the counter on the ballot box and with the check list used by the Ballot Clerks and Tellers. The following is the result of the election :

COOLIDGE and DAWES—Republican.— 367

At Large.—

George A. Bacon of Longmeadow
Hester S. Fearing of Boston

By Districts.—

1. Arthur S. Gaylord of Holyoke
2. Charles S. Warner of Northfield
3. Telesphore Leboeuf of Webster
4. Frank Roe Batchelder of Worcester
5. Edith Nourse Rogers of Lowell
6. Gayden W. Morrill of Newburyport
7. Effie S. Attwill of Lynn
8. William W. Davis of Cambridge
9. Emma Fall Schofield of Malden
10. Frank Gardner Hall of Boston
11. Francis R. Bangs of Boston
12. Ida E. Hibbard of Boston
13. Henry F. Beal of Waltham
14. Harry H. Williams of Brockton
15. Charles C. Cain, Jr. of Taunton
16. Malvina L. Keith of Bourne

DAVIS and BRYAN—Democratic.— 70

At Large.—

William A. Gaston of Boston
John F. Fitzgerald of Boston

By Districts.—

1. Joseph B. Ely of Westfield
2. Anne O'Keefe Heffernan of Northampton
3. Marcus A. Coolidge of Fitchburg
4. Peter F. Sullivan of Worcester
5. Humphrey O'Sullivan of Lowell
6. Charles I. Pettingell of Amesbury

7. Genevieve E. McGlue of Lynn
8. Edward W. Quinn of Cambridge
9. John J. Murphy of Somerville
10. Charles H. Cole of Boston
11. Andrew J. Peters of Boston
12. James A. Gallivan of Boston
13. Arthur Lyman of Waltham
14. Charles F. Riordan of Sharon
15. Edmond P. Talbot of Fall River
16. Hannah Ashley of New Bedford

FOSTER and GITLOW—Workers Party.— 0

At Large.—

George Kraska of Winthrop
Michael M. Plepys of Boston

By Districts.—

1. Robert Zelms of Boston
2. Charles Hedrich of Boston
3. Hyman Levine of Brockton
4. William Marttila of Worcester
5. Lewis Marks of Boston
6. Onni Saari of Norwood
7. Louis F. Weiss, Sr. of Worcester
8. John Louko of Norwood
9. Wirna Sointu of Walpole
10. Samuel D. Levine of Boston
11. Eva Hoffman of Boston
12. Israel I. Hurwitz of Boston
13. Sarah R. Ballam of Boston
14. Emma P. Hutchins of Boston
15. E. J. Sinisalo of Fitchburg
16. William Janhonen of Gardner

JOHNS and REYNOLDS — Social Labor Party.— 0

At Large.—

Henry C. Hess of Boston
Samuel Ferguson of Everett

By Districts.—

1. Herman Koepke of Pittsfield
2. Oskar Kinsalis of Springfield
3. Bernel E. Wheeler of Westminster
4. Joseph Jiskra of Milford
5. John McKinnon of Lowell
6. Thomas Brennan of Salem
7. Lois I. Galber of Lynn

8. Peter O'Rourke of Medford
9. Daniel T. Blessington of Somerville
10. James A. Carmichel of Boston
11. Albert L. Waterman of Boston
12. Morris Becker of Boston
13. Alex Brady of Waltham
14. Patrick H. Loftus of Abington
15. Oden Johnson of Attleboro
16. James Hayes of Plymouth

LAFOLLETTE and WHEELER—Independent-Progressive.— 26

At Large.—

Alice Stone Blackwell of Boston
George H. Wrenn of Springfield

By Districts.—

1. Albert Sprague Coolidge of Pittsfield
2. Walter J. Kenefick of Springfield
3. Adelbert L. Leeman of Townsend
4. Daniel R. Donovan of Worcester
5. Maude Wheeler Mitchell of Hudson
6. Parkman B. Flanders of Haverhill
7. Michael S. Keenan of Lynn
8. Elizabeth R. Day of Cambridge
9. Clarence R. Skinner of Medford
10. Thomas A. Niland of Boston
11. Thomas M. Nolan of Boston
12. Joseph P. Tynan of Boston
13. Florence H. Luscomb of Boston
14. Robert H. O. Schulz of Dedham
15. George Clark of Taunton
16. Abraham Binns of New Bedford

GOVERNOR.—

John J. Ballam of Boston, Workers Party.....	3
James M. Curley of Boston, Democratic.....	112
Alvan T. Fuller of Malden, Republican.....	347
James Hayes of Plymouth, Socialist Labor Party.....	0
Walter S. Hutchins of Greenfield, Socialist Party.....	0
Blank	22

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.—

Frank G. Allen of Norwood, Republican.....	343
John J. Cummings of Boston, Democratic	90
Arthur A. Cunning of Boston, Socialist Labor Party.....	4

Thomas Nicholson of Lawrence, Socialist Party.....	0
Edward Rand Stevens of Boston, Workers Party.....	0
Blank	47

SECRETARY.—

Frederic W. Cook of Somerville, Republican.....	336
Winfield A. Dwyer of Boston, Workers Party.....	3
Samuel Leger of Boston, Socialist Labor Party.....	5
H. Oscar Rocheleau of Worcester, Democratic.....	76
Edith Williams of Brookline, Socialist Party.....	4
Blank	60

TREASURER.—

Michael L. Eisner of Pittsfield, Democratic.....	76
Patrick H. Loftus of Abington, Socialist Labor Party.....	5
Louis Marcus of Boston, Socialist Party.....	0
Albert Oddie of Brockton, Workers Party	0
William S. Youngman of Boston, Republican.....	324
Blank	79

AUDITOR.—

Strabo V. Claggett of Newton, Democratic.....	186
Alonzo B. Cook of Boston, Republican.....	216
Isidore Harris of Boston, Socialist Labor Party.....	6
James J. Lacey of Boston, Workers Party.....	4
Dennis F. Reagan of Brockton, Socialist Party.....	0
Blank	72

ATTORNEY GENERAL.—

Jay R. Benton of Belmont, Republican.....	335
Harry J. Canter of Boston, Workers Party.....	3
Frederick Oelcher of Peabody, Socialist Labor Party.....	1
John Weaver Sherman of Boston, Socialist Party.....	3
John E. Swift of Milford, Democratic.....	70
Blank	72

SENATOR IN CONGRESS.—

Frederick H. Gillett of Springfield, Republican.....	322
Antoinette F. Konikow of Boston, Workers Party.....	1

David I. Walsh of Fitchburg, Democratic.....	125
Blank	36

CONGRESSMAN—Fifth District.—

Humphrey O'Sullivan of Lowell, Democratic.....	86
John Jacob Rogers of Lowell, Republican.....	345
Blank	53

COUNCILLOR—Sixth District.—

Bernard J. Golden of Woburn, Democratic	69
Charles S. Smith of Lincoln, Republican.....	360
Blank	55

SENATOR—Fifth Middlesex District.—

John O'C. Fitzgerald of Marlborough, Democratic.....	89
George G. Moyse of Waltham, Republican.....	304
Blank	91

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENRAL COURT— Thirteenth Middlesex District.—

Michael J. Collins of Concord, Democratic.....	79
Alice H. Damon of Concord, Non-Part. Coolidge Policies....	22
J. Sidney Stone of Wayland, Republican	315
Blank	68

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS—Middlesex.—

Alfred L. Cutting of Weston, Republican.....	302
Walter C. Wardwell of Cambridge, Republican.....	277
Blank	15)

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLV- ENCY—Middlesex County.—

John J. Butler of Wakefield, Democratic.....	80
Charles N. Harris of Winchester, Republican.....	302
Blank	112

COUNTY TREASURER—Middlesex.—

Charles E. Hatfield of Newton, Republican.....	323
Daniel F. McBride of Medford, Democratic.....	73
Blank	88

REFERENDUM QUESTION NO. 1**Amendment to Constitution**

Shall an amendment to the constitution relative to the qualifications of voters for certain state officers (striking out the word "male"), which received in a joint session of the two Houses held May 24, 1921, 258 votes in the affirmative and none in the negative, and at a joint session of the two Houses held May 10, 1923, received 254 votes in the affirmative and none in the negative, be approved?

Yes	203
No	87

REFERENDUM QUESTION NO. 2**Amendment to Constitution**

Shall an amendment to the constitution to enable women to hold any state, county or municipal office, and which further provides that a change of name of any woman, holding a Notary Public Commission, shall not render her commission void but she shall re-register under her new name and shall pay such fee therefor as shall be established by the general court, which received in a joint session of the two Houses held May 24, 1921, 216 votes in the affirmative and none in the negative, and at a joint session of the two Houses held May 10, 1923, received 258 votes in the affirmative and none in the negative, be approved?

Yes	227
No	83

REFERENDUM QUESTION NO. 3

Shall a law (Chapter 370 of the Acts of 1923) which provides that no person shall manufacture, transport by aircraft, watercraft or vehicles, import or export spirituous or intoxicating liquor, as defined by section 3 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, or certain no-intoxicating beverages, as defined by section 1 of said chapter 138, unless in each instance he shall have obtained the permit or other authority required therefor by the laws of the United States and the regulations made thereunder, which law was approved by both branches of the General Court by votes not recorded, and was approved by His Excellency the Governor, be approved?

Yes	194
No	181

REFERENDUM QUESTION NO. 4

Shall a law (Chapter 454 of the Acts of 1923) which provides for the raising of funds toward the cost of the construction and maintenance of highways by means of an excise tax of two cents on each gallon of gasoline and other fuel used for propelling motor vehicles on the highways of the Commonwealth, said tax to be paid by the purchaser to the distributor, who, in turn, pays it to the Commonwealth, and the money to be credited to a fund to be known as the gasoline-highway fund, out of which reimbursement is to be made to purchasers, who shall consume the gasoline or other fuel in any manner except in the operation of motor vehicles on the highways, and the expenses of carrying out the act are to be paid, fifty per cent of the balance of said fund to be distributed to the cities and towns of the Commonwealth, in proportion to the amounts which they contribute to the State tax, and this fifty per cent to be expended in construction or improvement of public ways within the city or town limits, and the other fifty per cent to be expended by the State Department of Public Works on such highways as it may select, which law was approved by both branches of the General Court by votes not recorded, and was approved by His Excellency the Governor, be approved?

Yes	129
No	220

REFERENDUM QUESTION NO. 5

Shall a law (Chapter 473 of the Acts of 1923) which amends existing legislation on the same subject and provides that, subject to certain limitations, no person shall engage or be financially interested in the business of receiving deposits of money for safe keeping or for the purpose of transmitting the same or equivalents thereof to foreign countries unless he has executed and delivered a bond to the State Treasurer, or deposited securities in lieu thereof, and has received a license from the Commissioner of Banks authorizing him to carry on such business; that any money which in case of breach of bond shall be paid by the licensee or surety thereon, or the securities deposited in lieu thereof, shall constitute a trust fund for the benefit of depositors; that the license shall be revocable by the Commissioner of Banks for cause shown; that the money deposited with licensees for safe keeping shall be invested in the manner prescribed by the act; and that the violation of any provision of the act shall be punished in the manner therein prescribed, which law was approved by both branches of the General Court by votes not recorded, and was approved by His Excellency the Governor, be approved?

Yes	196
No	58

REFERENDUM QUESTION NO. 6

"Shall daylight saving be retained by law in Massachusetts?"

Yes	173
No	218

REFERENDUM QUESTION NO. 7

Is it desirable that the general court ratify the following proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States:—"Section 1. The Congress shall have power to limit, regulate, and prohibit the labor of persons under eighteen years of age. Section 2. The power of the several States is unimpaired by this article except that the operation of State laws shall be suspended to the extent necessary to give effect to legislation enacted by the Congress"?

Yes	95
No	328

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

At a meeting of the Town Clerks of the Thirteenth Representative District of Middlesex County, held at Concord, November 14, 1924, the vote for Representative in the General Court was determined as follows:

	Concord	Lincoln	Sudbury	Wayland	Weston	Total
Michael J. Collins of Concord	747	79	33	216	129	1204
Alice H Damon of Concord	145	22	10	45	18	240
J. Sidney Stone of Wayland	1331	315	352	628	815	3441
Blanks	263	68	59	95	114	599
Total	2486	484	454	984	1076	5484

WILLIAM D. CROSS, *Town Clerk of Concord,*
WILLIAM C. PEIRCE, *Town Clerk of Lincoln,*
FRANK F. GERRY, *Town Clerk of Sudbury,*
EDNA F. BISHOP, *Town Clerk of Wayland,*
PRENTON H. DICKSON, JR., *Town Clerk of Weston.*

Two certificates of the election of J. Sidney Stone of Way-

land were prepared and signed by the Clerks for transmission to the Secretary of the Commonwealth and to the Representative elect.

Attest:

WILLIAM E. PEIRCE,
Town Clerk.

There have been recorded during the year ending Dec. 31, 1924, 11 Marriages, 18 Births, 13 Deaths.

Marriages Registered

Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
May 14, 1924	Harold Cabot Adeline Reed Eveleth	Concord Woodbury, N. J.
June 18, 1924	Addison Washburn Seekins Ethel Marion Cousins	Penacook, N. H. Lincoln
June 28, 1924	Rothwell N. MacRae Ruth L. Ready	Lincoln Somerville
July 8, 1924	James Joseph Shea Annie Elizabeth Sherman	Lincoln Waltham
July 25, 1924	John W. Tillotson Alberta Foster	Lincoln Johanson, Vt.
Aug. 15, 1924	Charles Stansby Bamforth Ethel Marion Paul	Lincoln Wayland
Sept. 6, 1924	William Bradford Gifford Grace Linda Rogers	Dorchester Lincoln
Oct. 11, 1924	Joseph Francis Eaton Elizabeth Florence Lally	Lincoln Waltham
Oct. 11, 1924	Dennis Michael Dougherty Marion Catharine Lally	Lincoln Waltham
Nov. 9, 1924	Reginald Frederick Forogren Ellen Hult	Somerville Lincoln
Dec. 12, 1924	Thomas Thayer Giles Stella Anna Campbell	Lincoln Sudbury

Births Registered

Date of birth	Name of child	Name of parents
May 4, 1907	Lena Madeline Bamforth	Fred J. D. and Lena E. (Morse)
Oct. 31, 1923	Jennie Cirasso	Michael and Amelia (Marganella)
Feb. 1, 1924	Frances Isabelle Browning	George W. and Isabelle F. (Smith)
Feb. 15, 1924	Sherman Prescott Davis	Prescott L. and Gladys (Sherman)
Feb. 29, 1924	Eugene Donald Sherman	Warren A. and Marguerite (Nutting)
Mar. 28, 1924	Walter Kenneth Wellman	Irving S. and Esther (Rice)
Mar. 31, 1924	Lucy Catona	Nicholas and Caroline (Monica)
May 12, 1924	Joseph Sam Campobasso	Joe and Anniva (Di Meo)
May 14, 1924	Helen Conant	Richard and Lily (Roberts)
May 25, 1924	Frances Murphy	George and Bridget (Norris)
June 15, 1924	Reed	Leslie and Mary (Dondale)
June 25, 1924	William Alfred Burgess	William J. and Katherine M. (Ryan)
Aug. 24, 1924	Helen Rowley	Owen and Annie (Conway)
Sept. 5, 1924	Stillborn Mandigo	John J. and Carrie E. (Higgins)
Sept. 9, 1924	Bruce Starrett	Leo and Lucy (Bickero)
Oct. 21, 1924	William Hamilton Russell	Walter H. and Elsie (Anderson)
Nov. 1, 1924	James John Ryan	James T. and Mary Josephine (Norris)
Dec. 2, 1924	George Joseph Coan	John F. and Anna (Crowley)
Dec. 26, 1924	Gertrude May Wheeler	Earl R. and Eva Augusta (Haynes)

EXTRACT FROM THE REVISED LAWS Chap. 29 AS AMENDED BY CHAP. 280, ACTS OF 1912

Sect. 1. Physicians and midwives shall, within forty-eight hours after the birth of every child in cases of which they were in charge, mail or deliver to the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which the birth occurred a notice stating the date and place of the birth, giving the street number, if any, the number of the ward in a city and the family name. Failure to mail or deliver the said notice shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars for each offence. The notice required by this Section need not be given if the notice required by the following Section is given within forty-eight hours after the birth occurs.

Sect. 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after the birth of a child in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given

to the clerk of the City or Town, in which such child is born.

Sect. 8. A parent, keeper, superintendent or other person who is required by Section 6 to give or cause to be given notice of a birth or death, who neglects so to do for ten days after the time limited therefor, shall forfeit not more than five dollars for such offence.

Deaths Registered

Date of Death	Name	Age		
		Y.	M.	D.
Feb. 2, 1924	Matthew Henry Tucker	24	8	3
Feb. 10, 1924	Eugene A. Sherman	70	10	25
Mar. 23, 1924	Julia A. Bemis	95	5	10
April 5, 1924	Edgar C. Browning	56	1	13
May 23, 1924	Timothy Moynihan	67	6	8
May 24, 1924	Mary B. Peck	33	6	0
Sept. 6, 1924	Stillborn Mandigo	0	0	0
Sept. 21, 1924	John Joseph Morrissey	47	3	0
Oct. 6, 1924	Rev. James De Normandie	88	3	27
Oct. 9, 1924	Edwin I. Wheeler	71	3	21
Nov. 16, 1924	William Ziecavitch	65	0	0
Dec. 1, 1924	Pauline Lynch	1	10	0
Dec. 5, 1924	Walter Corbett	7	0	0

JURY LIST FOR 1924

As prepared by the Selectmen of Lincoln

JURY LIST FOR 1924

<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Occupation</i>
Bowen, David C.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Bowman, Robert A.	South Lincoln	Salesman
Coburn, Edward S.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Codman, Thomas N.	South Lincoln	Retired
Cousins, Harold S.	Lincoln	Farmer
Crook, Russel G.	South Lincoln	Sculptor
Cunningham, Frank H.	Concord, R.D.	Farmer
Davis, E. Russell	South Lincoln	Clerk
Davis, William H.	South Lincoln	Master of Grange
Dee, Thomas J.	Concord, R.F.D.	Farmer
DeNormandie, William J.	Lincoln	Farmer
Dougherty, Andrew J.	Lincoln	Farmer
Dougherty, Matthew F.	Waltham, R.F.D.	Carpenter
Farrar, Herbert G.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Flint, Edward F.	Lincoln	Farmer
Hamilton, D. Lincoln	Lincoln	Farmer
Hartwell, J. Redman	Concord, R.D.	Farmer
Little, Amos R.	Lincoln	Lawyer
McHugh, John E.	Concord, R.D.	Farmer
Robus, William C.	Lincoln	Tel. Repairman
Tarbell, George G.	Lincoln	Farmer
Warner, Henry	South Lincoln	Student
Welch, Martin M.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Wheeler, C. Edgar	Lincoln	Farmer

Licenses Issued in 1924

There have been 116 Dog Licenses issued to Dec. 1, 1924—81 males, 32 females, 3 spayed females—for which the sum of \$304.80 has been paid to the County Treasurer.

There have been issued 37 Combination Hunters Certificates, 25 Hunting and Trapping Certificates, 11 Fishing Certificates, 2 Minors Trapping Certificates, for the year 1924, for which the sum of \$114.45 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game.

Attest:

WILLIAM C. PEIRCE,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

The Selectmen present the following report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1924:

The Board was organized by the choice of Charles S. Smith, Chairman, and R. D. Donaldson, Secretary.

Appointments

The following appointments have been made during the year:

Sealer of Weights and Measures, John J. Kelliher.

Forest Warden, John J. Kelliher.

Weigher of Coal, Hay and other Commodities, Elmer A. Rollins.

Inspector of Animals, Martin M. Welch.

Janitor of Public Buildings and Caretaker of Public Grounds, Edward Bannon.

Special Police, Herbert G. Farrar, Winslow A. Eaton, J. Redmond Hartwell, Isaac Langille, William M. Hilliard.

District Nurse Committee, Mr. George G. Tarbell, Mr. Robert D. Donaldson, Mrs. Edith B. Farrar.

The following table gives the appropriations made by the Town during the year 1924 and the appropriations recommended by the Board to be made at the next Annual Meeting:

	Appropriations for 1924	The Selectmen recommend the following appropriations for the ensuing year
Transportation of Children	\$28,500.00	\$28,500.00
For Schools, and		
Support of Poor	500.00	500.00
Highways and Bridges	12,000.00	12,000.00
South Great Road (taken from money in treasury)	7,500.00	7,500.00
Library and Dog Tax	1,300.00	1,000.00
Cemeteries (from Cemetery Fund)	500.00	500.00
Board of Health	500.00	500.00
Tree Warden	2,500.00	2,500.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	6,000.00	6,000.00
Hydrants and other Water Service	2,400.00	2,400.00
Waltham Hospital Free Bed	400.00	400.00
Street Lamps	1,800.00	1,800.00
Fire Department	500.00	500.00
District Nurse	750.00	750.00
Payment of Water Bonds (taken from Water Works income)	500.00	500.00
Farm Bureau	200.00	.....

Following the policy which has been in operation for several years, the re-building of what is known as the South Great Road was started this year at the Concord line at Lee's Bridge and was continued easterly for 4,500 feet. The

Town appropriated \$7,500, which appropriation was matched by the State and the County, making a total available appropriation of \$22,500. The cost of the work up to January 1st, 1925, was \$23,000. It is expected that the State and County will appropriate the same amount of money this year for the continuance of this work, and the Selectmen recommend a like appropriation by the Town.

No further work has been undertaken on the highway from the centre of the Town to Farnsworth's Corner during the year.

The State appropriated approximately \$3,000 for the use of the Town in general maintenance of the highways.

The Selectmen wish to renew the recommendation made in the report of last year that a beginning be made in constructing sidewalks on the principal streets, and they recommend this policy especially to the Superintendent of Streets as much of this work many times can be done without any material additional expense.

The Selectmen are glad to report the completion by the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of their line in the north part of the Town.

The Selectmen have properly executed a quitclaim deed to the First Parish of all of their right, title and interest in land West of the highway leading from the centre of the Town to Bedford and same has been recorded.

In accordance with the vote passed by the Town on June 25, 1923, as follows:

"That a committee of five be authorized to have the school-house grounds properly graded for a playground for the school children, also in such a way that there may be a good baseball field for the use of the citizens of the Town, and sufficient money be appropriated to be taken from the sur-

plus in the Treasury. That this committee consist of the Selectmen and two to be appointed by the Chair, or otherwise as the Town may determine."

at which meeting an appropriation of \$5,000 was made for the work, the money to be taken from the money in the Treasury, and the committee appointed consisted of the Selectmen and Mr. C. Lee Todd and Mr. Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr., this work has been satisfactorily completed and it has not been necessary to use any of the appropriation made by the Town for the purpose.

Many years ago the Town received a legacy from Mrs. Abbie J. Stearns with which to purchase a Town hearse. About the time that this legacy was received municipalities ceased to own hearses, undertakers providing all that was necessary in this connection, and it is improbable that this legacy will ever be used for the purposes designated by the testator. It seems advisable, therefore, that the Selectmen or other designated persons apply to the Court that this fund may be added to the Trust Fund established by the same person for the Silent Poor Fund. This Fund for Town Hearse now amounts to approximately \$1,800.

Finances

The Sinking Fund Commissioners' report indicates that there is a balance of \$2,580.50 in the fund for the retirement of schoolhouse bonds in excess of the amount necessary to liquidate the outstanding bonds. It will be in order and the Selectmen think advisable that the Town vote to have this excess not required for the liquidation of the bonds turned into the Town Treasury.

The financial condition of the Town otherwise as on January 1, 1925 is as follows:

The outstanding bonded indebtedness on account of the Water Works, as reported by the Treasurer, is \$61,500.00;

there is available in the Sinking Fund, to retire the bonds at maturity, securities and cash of the value of \$41,345.23; this, together with the reported uncollected water bills and current cash on hand of \$13,763.22 leaves a net indebtedness of \$6,391.55. Exclusive of the amount owed to the Town Treasurer. The condition of the Water Works, both physically and financially, has been improving from year to year and with proper management it seems reasonable to expect further improvement. The Selectmen understand that the Water Board intend, when money is available in the Treasury for the purpose, to lay a new water main from the centre of the Town to Codman Corner, so-called. The Water Department still owes to the Town Treasury money advanced some years ago, \$4,712.00, with interest.

The Treasurer's report shows the balance in the treasury on January 1, 1925 of \$18,926.16. The Collector reports uncollected taxes on January 1, 1925 of \$4,919.57. This makes available for the treasury on account of balance in the treasury and uncollected taxes \$23,845.73, to which should be added the excess cash in the hands of the Sinking Fund Commissioners of \$2,580.50 and \$4,712.00 with interest due from the Water Department, or a total of more than \$31,138.23.

The business of the Town, as it has been conducted by the various officers and departments of the Town, is embodied in their printed reports.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,

Selectmen of Lincoln.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE GRADING OF THE SCHOOLHOUSE GROUNDS

At a Special Meeting held in July, 1923, the town appropriated \$5,000 for grading the schoolhouse grounds. The work has been completed but has cost the town nothing. Mr. Charles S. Smith, who donated the schoolhouse lot to the town, has paid the entire cost of the improvement.

The work has been conducted under the direction of a committee consisting of the Selectmen and of C. Lee Todd and Andrew J. Dougherty. The contract was awarded, after competitive bids, to John H. McCusker & Sons of Waltham, who have done the work in a most satisfactory manner.

The result is that there is now an excellent playground for school children and a field suitable for baseball and other sports without expense to the taxpayers. The town should make due acknowledgment to Mr. Charles S. Smith for his generosity.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. FARRAR,
R. D. DONALDSON,
C. L. TODD,
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Jan. 7, 1925.

To the Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1924.

Number of herds of cows	70
“ “ milch cows	514
“ “ young stock	102
“ “ bulls	20
“ “ pigs	595
“ “ sheep	29
“ “ cows quarantined	1
“ “ cows affected with tuberculosis	1

Respectfully submitted,

MARTIN M. WELCH,
Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Board of Selectmen:—

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1924:

During the first part of the winter very little snow fell, but in March and the first part of April the storms were heavier, so that the men and trucks were busy on snow work.

In the spring the cross roads were scraped, and the ruts filled in with crushed stone; the tar surfaced roads patched several times, and Tarvia and oil were applied to most of the roads in town.

This department built about 1,500 ft. of penetration road near the residence of Mr. James J. Storrow.

It also filled in the gutters along the road on the north side of the town hill, thereby widening this road.

In conjunction with the state and county we built 4,500 ft. of state road near Lee's bridge, in the south part of the town, at an approximate cost of \$23,000, as follows:

Labor	\$ 8,400
Supplies	10,000
Repairs and other expenses	
for truck	450
Sand and gravel	600
Coal	135
Steam roller	657
Teams	2,758
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	\$23,000

The amount expended for maintenance this year is approximately as follows:

Hay and grain	\$ 1332
Supplies	10,800
Repairs, expense of truck and shoeing	1,935
Outside snow work	750
Rent, water, light, etc.	603
Superintendent's salary, labor, etc.	5,330
Steam roller and teams	730
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	\$21,480
Amount of credit due the Highway Dept.	6,875
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Total spent for upkeep and maintenance of Highway department	\$14,605

The guide boards generally are in good condition, but where necessary I have had new ones painted and put in place.

Otherwise the Highway Department is in about the same condition as last year.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,
Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF THE FIRE ENGINEERS

To the Board of Selectmen:

The Board of Fire Engineers herewith submit their 17th annual report ending December 31, 1924.

Force

The Fire Department consists of the following: One chief, five engineers and fifteen call men.

Apparatus

The apparatus belonging to the Department is as follows: Two combination trucks, twenty-five extinguishers, four ladders, 1,800 feet of hose, and three axes and plaster hooks.

Location of Apparatus

No. 2 Combination Truck at Doherty's Garage, South Lincoln. No. 3 Ford Combination Truck at T. J. Dee Farm, Virginia Road, North Lincoln.

Fires

During the past year the Department has been called to the following fires: No. 2 Combination Truck—7 chimney, 29 grass and wood, 5 houses and 4 other buildings.

No. 3 Combination Truck—1 chimney, 7 grass and wood, 1 house.

Loss \$10,000.

The Fire Engineers are of the unanimous opinion that it

is for the best interests of the Town that more equipment should be provided, in the immediate future.

While we have been very fortunate in the past in regard to fire loss we still feel our present equipment is inadequate and we recommend the addition of a Motor Pump.

MATTHEW H. DOHERTY, *Chief.*

THOMAS J. DEE.

HAROLD S. COUSINS.

ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY, JR.

JOHN J. KELLIHER.

HERBERT G. FARRAR.

REPORT OF THE LINCOLN TOWN NURSE

To the Selectmen of Lincoln:

In accordance with custom a brief report of the work of the Town Nurse is hereby submitted.

There is fortunately no change of nurses to record, as Miss Backman has remained with us throughout the year. She has rendered willing and highly efficient service, much appreciated by all who have worked with her.

The usual financial arrangement has been in force, the Town appropriating \$750.00 toward the nurse's salary, the School Committee paying \$400.00, and the nurse herself earning for the Town the sum of \$350.00 by weekly visits to the Sudbury schools. The sum of \$370.00 is now due Lincoln from Sudbury for the services of our nurse during 1924. Part of the expense of operating the nurse's car is paid by the fees collected by the nurse; the balance has as usual been met by the Red Cross. This service is hereby gratefully acknowledged.

The outstanding feature of the year's work has been a gratifying increase in the number and variety of the demands for the nurse's services. The total number of nursing visits made is 429, classified by the nurse as follows: Calls for advice 7, night calls 5, Sunday calls 18, prenatal visits 12, obstetric work 47, treatments 110, bedside care 230. The work with the children in the schools is thoroughly covered in the nurse's report to the School Committee. A physician practising in town testified that the fact that he was able to save the life of one of his patients was directly and solely due to the presence in town of a visiting nurse. This case alone would go far toward making the year's work of value to the community.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH B. FARRAR.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1924

The following cases of contagious diseases have been reported during the year.

- 10 cases of Mumps
- 1 case of Measles
- 3 cases of German Measles
- 1 case of Chicken Pox
- 1 case of Diphtheria
- 1 case of Dog Bite
- 3 cases of Scarlet Fever
- 2 cases of Lobar Pneumonia

MARTIN M. WELCH,
R. D. DONALDSON,
GEO. G. TARBELL.

Members of the Board of Health.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby submit a report of all the money paid out by the Town Treasurer by order of the Selectmen of Lincoln.

I have visited Mr. Todd at his office and was shown all securities and investments held by him.

JAMES W. LENNON,

Auditor.

SCHOOLS

PAYMENTS

Town Treasurer, Teachers' Salary, including Janitor's Services	\$14,455.97
Mass. Teachers Retirement Fund, Retirement Fund	598.00
Boston & Maine R. R. Student Tickets	865.00
City of Boston, Tuition	1,062.02
City of Waltham, Tuition	262.50
City of Somerville, Tuition	185.88
Town of Concord, Tuition	1,615.00
Town of Lexington, Tuition	84.00
Town of Weston, Tuition	75.00

Doherty's Garage, Transportation of Children	3,520.00
Thomas J. Dee, Transportation of Children	1,180.00
William Conway, Transportation of Children	175.00
Harriet Lindsay, Transportation of Children	27.30
Frank Cunningham, Transportation of Children	46.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Service	46.31
Lincoln Water Works, Service	75.50
Henry A. Wood, M.D., Professional Services	200.00
Edith Farrar, Taking Census	15.00
Charles E. Woodhull, Care of Piano	32.00
George G. Tarbell, Wood	28.50
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Service	34.35
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	11.03
Doherty Garage, Delivering Supplies	23.40
Maynard Coal Co., Coal	499.24
Waltham Coal Co., Coal	174.00
C. S. Smith, Coal	246.32
N. Love, Salary as Supt. of Schools	281.51
Ruth Robinson, Teaching	30.00
Charles M. Robinson, Expenses	46.19
Underwood Typewriting Co., Repairs	3.77
H. Howe, Repairs on Clock	15.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor at Schools, 1923 and 1924	833.63
George E. Cunningham, Labor	7.50
Edward Graf, Labor	12.00
I. N. MacRae Co., Labor and Supplies	16.41
J. L. Hammett Co., Supplies	320.89
E. E. Babb & Co., Supplies	179.05
Rollins Bros., Supplies	87.51
Silver Burdett Co., Supplies	86.66
Charles S. Scribner Co., Supplies	60.02
World Book Co., Supplies	60.51
Harris & Gilpatric, Supplies	55.73
Kenny Bros. & Wolkins, Supplies	45.86
C. E. Merrill, Supplies	42.35

Andrew Paper Co., Supplies	31.00
Library Bureau, Supplies	29.62
Allyn Bacon, Supplies	21.76
The McMillian Co., Supplies	19.97
J. W. Brine Co., Supplies	19.42
Jordan Marsh Co., Supplies	26.82
Jordan Marsh Co., Supplies	16.77
Somerville Brush Co., Supplies	16.77
Ginn & Co., Supplies	16.20
Benj. H. Sanborn Co., Supplies	13.62
Reformatory for Women, Supplies	16.56
Anna G. Lithola, Supplies	13.10
Current Events, Supplies	15.00
George F. Johnson Co., Supplies	15.00
Milton Bradley Co., Supplies	11.49
Houghton Mifflin Co., Supplies	12.74
Harold Rugg, Supplies	9.40
McKnight & McKnight, Supplies	.86
Waltham Lumber Co., Supplies	8.42
D. C. Heath Co., Supplies	8.96
Ellsworth Reed Co., Supplies	8.07
Mt. Asst. of Secondary School Principals	8.50
Nelson Doubleday Co., Supplies	7.50
A. M. Marquis Supplies, Supplies	6.98
Warwick & Yack Co., Supplies	6.23
American Book Co., Supplies	6.00
State Board of Education, Supplies	5.50
Jennings Publishing Co., Supplies	4.20
Women Society of Christian Endeavor, Supplies	4.00
Russell Sage Foundation Co., Supplies	3.40
J. C. Winston Co., Supplies	3.52
American View Point Society, Supplies	2.78
H. A. Grimwood, Supplies	2.63
Taylor Instrument Co., Supplies	2.27
Charles A. Grimmont Co., Supplies	2.22

Park Snow Co., Supplies	1.80
Jones & Kroeger Co., Supplies	1.67
Palmer Co., Supplies	1.06
Supt. of Documents, Supplies	1.50
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	\$28,108.45

HIGHWAY

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Supt. Labor on Highways	\$432.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	276.00
Joseph E. Mahan	268.00
Timothy F Crowley	268.00
William H. Ryan	244.00
George Monilla	220.00
J. W. Rooney	127.00
George M. Boyce	122.00
John W. Rooney, Jr.	108.00
M. J. Rooney	100.00
Patrick Craven	170.00
John F. Farrar	90.00
B. W. Brown Grain Co., Grain, Straw, etc.	944.91
Daniel E. Sherman, Hay	285.22
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Service	25.79
Edison Light Co., Service	12.11
Burgess Garage, Labor and Supplies	746.37
Daniel McAskill, Shoeing and Repairing	470.50
Thomas F. Coan, Care of Horses	360.00
Charles S. Smith, Rent of Barn	400.00
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	42.16
Water Commissioners, Water Service	37.00

J. J. Clairry, Rent of Lands for Stone Crusher	25.00
Registry of Motor Vehicles, Registration 1925	30.00
George L. Cousins, Hay	93.17
Peterson & Trask, Horse	132.50
Martin Peterson, Horse	275.00
F. T. McGlinchy, M.D., Services	6.00
Rudolph Sibley, M.D., Services	5.00
Barrett Mfg. Co., Supplies	984.94
Klaur Bros., Supplies	190.75
Berger Mfg. Co., Supplies	196.11
The Texas Company	78.80
Packard Motor Co.	73.84
Peter Perry	56.25
Benj. Pike	15.00
J. Milbury	37.25
B. B. McKin Co.	13.00
Henry A. Grimwood	37.41
Doherty Garage	58.27
Dyer Sales & Machine Co.	12.00
Wood Hydraulic Co., Supplies	11.14
New Eng. Road & Machine Co.	1.25
C. O. Sargent	2.20
Rice's Garage	.80
C. Clark	2.90
John F. Farrar & Son, Labor on Snow	56.00
Steam Roller Man	64.00
Andrew J. Dougherty, Labor on Snow	457.75
Henry A. Butcher, Labor on Snow	12.00
Robert Hunter, Labor on Snow	35.00
Bert Pearson, Labor on Snow	37.00
Roy Seekins, Labor on Snow	10.00
Herman T. Wheeler, Labor on Snow	8.00
Ralph Butcher, Labor on Snow	53.00
Joseph Forsia, Labor on Snow	16.00
John J. Morrissey, Labor on Snow	6.00

Albert S. Brooks, Labor on Snow	8.00
J. M. Sousa, Labor on Snow	62.25
T. L. Giles, Labor on Snow	20.00
W. S. Baskin, Labor on Snow	41.00
S. Mignosa, Labor on Snow	4.00
Wilson Lumber Co., Supplies	9.00
A. Moreau, Repairs on Wagons	24.50
Herbert Neally, Painting	81.00
General Crushed Stone Co., Trucking	495.42
A. K. McLeod, Electrical Supplies	13.25
McCone Bros., Labor and Supplies	42.09
Peterson Overson, Labor	40.00
George Whiting, Blasting Stone	313.11
C. Olson, Laying Stone	44.00
T. J. Dee, Sand	18.50
George Hill, Sand	7.75
George Hunter, Labor and Supplies	49.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor	19.22
I. N. MacRae Co., Labor	4.50
Rollins Bros., Supplies	12.06
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	\$10,151.04

WATER

PAYMENTS

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Power and Light	\$1,663.75
Commonwealth of Mass., Int. on Reg'd Bonds due March 1	52.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due March 1	672.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due June 1	108.00
Commonwealth of Mass., Reg'd Coupons due June 1	227.50

First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Sept. 1	280.00
Commonwealth of Mass., Reg'd Coupons due Sept. 1	52.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Int. on Reg'd Bonds	227.50
First Nat'l Bank, Bonds due Sept. 1	500.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due	425.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due	75.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Dec. 1	175.00
Robert B. Hunter, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
Sumner Smith, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
John J. Kelliher, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
John J. Kelliher, Services as Supt.	400.00
American R. R. Express Co., Express	4.01
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	152.17
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Services	28.60
Leonard Robinson, Reading Meters	20.00
Doherty Garage, Delivering Freight	6.83
National Meter Co., Supplies	326.64
Eddy Valve Co., Supplies	101.51
Fred A. Houdlett & Son, Supplies	1,049.10
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., Supplies	43.78
Red Hed Mfg. Co., Supplies	53.61
Davis & Farnum Mfg. Co., Supplies	46.85
Chadwick Boston Lead Co., Supplies	36.38
Ames Implement Co., Supplies	29.50
Chapman Valve Co., Supplies	20.55
Dodge Haley Co., Supplies	14.69
Henry A. Grimwood, Supplies	11.10
Albert Pouchet, Supplies	8.93
Edison Mfg. Corp., Supplies	5.73
Rollins Bros., Supplies	2.03
Moth Department, Labor of men	500.00
Sumner Smith, Labor and Supplies	62.05
I. N. MacRae, Labor and Supplies	310.79
J. J. Kelliher, Cash Paid Laborers	501.05
Daniel McAskill, Labor	5.75

Daniel Holman, Labor	32.00
William Costello, Labor	4.00
Robert D. Donaldson, 1 Bag Cement	1.00
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	\$8,462.40

MOTH

PAYMENTS

John J. Kelliher, Services as Supt.	\$1,200.00
Ashley Cousins, Labor	1,192.00
P. J. Lennon, Labor	1,002.00
Warren Sherman, Labor	52.00
J. Frazio, Labor	32.00
Charles S. Smith, Rent	100.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Services	18.75
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	11.22
Doherty Garage, Delivering Freight	9.54
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor and Supplies	56.25
Frost Insecticide Co., Supplies	66.10
Charles Foreman, Filing Saws	4.00
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	\$3,743.86

FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION

PAYMENTS

Robert D. Donaldson, Labor and Supplies	\$50.00
Jacob Whitman Co., Supplies	201.63

American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	3.91
A. T. Ball, Prizes	29.00
Edward Graf, Labor	11.50
A. J. Doherty, Expenses	33.00
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	\$329.04

CEMETERY

PAYMENTS

Water Commissioners, Water	\$20.00
J. Milbury, Labor on Lawn Mowers	3.25
Est. of I. N. MacRae, Labor and Supplies	3.00
Rollins Bros., Supplies	14.00
Fritz Cunnert, Labor	230.00
Joseph Columbus	126.00
David Matheson	88.00
Thomas Cotter	64.00
M. Diamond	12.00
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	\$560.25

FIRE DEPARTMENT

PAYMENTS

Thomas J. Dee, Storing Truck, etc.	\$109.15
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co., Supplies	221.34
Henry R. Barnes, Supplies	88.50
Doherty Garage, Supplies	30.34

American La France Fire Engine Co., Supplies	36.00
Eastern Drug Co., Supplies	10.75
Henry A. Grimwood, Supplies	8.10
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	\$504.18

STREET LIGHTS

PAYMENTS

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Dec., 1923	\$162.06
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Jan., 1924	159.62
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Feb.	152.59
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for March	153.53
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for April	146.82
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for May	140.40
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for June	134.62
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for July	133.94
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Aug.	142.61
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Sept.	146.59
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Oct.	155.47
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Nov.	161.39
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	\$1,789.64

LINCOLN LIBRARY

PAYMENTS

John F. Farrar, Treas., Dog Tax Returned	\$185.56
John F. Farrar, Treas., Appropriation	800.00
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	\$985.56

INTEREST

PAYMENTS

Sinking Fund Commrs., Int. on \$7,000 Loan	\$61.83
Sinking Fund Commrs., Int. on \$5,000 Loan	31.25
Sinking Fund Commrs., Int. on \$9,000 Loan	102.00
	<hr/> \$195.08

MOTHERS' AID AND SUPPORT OF POOR

PAYMENTS

Dept. of Public Welfare, Care of Andrew Kilfoye	\$366.00
Mrs. Katherine Burns, Support of Poor	50.00
	<hr/> \$416.00

HYDRANTS AND OTHER PUBLIC WATER SERVICES

PAYMENTS

Water Commissioners, 124 Hydrants	\$1,860.00
Water Commissioners, Watering Troughs	572.00
	<hr/> \$2,432.00

WALTHAM HOSPITAL

PAYMENTS

Waltham Hospital, Appropriation	\$400.00
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DISTRICT NURSE

PAYMENTS

Doherty Garage, Supplies	\$189.63
Edith Backman, Salary as Nurse	1,463.75
Ellsworth B. Reed, Supplies	1.80
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	\$1,655.18

DONALD GORDON FUND

PAYMENTS

Sinking and Trust Fund Commissioners	\$5,000.00
Middlesex County Extension Service	\$200.00

HIGHWAY STATE AID

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Supt. of Labor	\$360.00
George M. Boyce, Labor	280.00
M. J. Rooney	256.00
George Monilla	228.00

T. F. Coan	228.00
Joseph Mahan	228.00
T. J. Crowley	228.00
W. H. Ryan	224.00
J. W. Rooney, Jr.	207.00
Patrick Craven	112.50
W. J. Baskin	10.00
Highway Dept., Labor of Horses	792.00
General Crushed Stone Co., Trucking	838.65
Barrett Mfg. Co., Supplies	2,908.13
Mass. Broken Stone Co.	1,187.40
Joseph Breck & Sons	19.19
The Texas Company	2,814.95
Lexington Lumber Co.	63.50
Klaur Bros.	7.76
McCone Bros.	177.75
Doherty Garage	144.66
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	\$11,315.49

HIGHWAY SPECIAL

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Supt. Labor on Highway	\$1,117.89
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	732.00
Joseph Mahan	680.00
T. J. Crowley	728.00
William H. Ryan	724.00
George M. Boyce	396.00
J. W. Rooney	419.00
J. W. Rooney, 3rd	201.00
M. J. Rooney	347.50

John F. Farrar	760.00
Geo. Monilla	708.00
Charles Hews	460.80
Andrew Doherty	388.00
George Rooney	18.00
John Peters	160.00
Peter Overson	28.00
Patrick Craven	28.75
M. Connors	180.00
Tom Martin	24.00
Highway Department, Labor of Horses	2,758.50
General Crushed Stone Co., Trucking	7,295.13
James Coan, Labor of Men and Horses	306.00
Burgess Garage, Labor and Supplies	4.38
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor and Supplies	57.70
The Texas Company, Supplies	2,250.24
Klaur Bros., Supplies	190.09
Henry A. Grimwood, Supplies	184.00
Doherty Garage, Supplies	178.25
Wilson Lumber Co., Supplies	160.07
Berger Mfg. Co., Supplies	36.72
Rollins Bros., Supplies	4.00
Town of Concord, Use of Steam Roller	657.00
Sumner Smith, Chestnut Posts	48.00
Edward R. Farrar, Chestnut Posts	30.00
McCone Bros., Labor on Truck	3.00
Maynard Coal Co., Coal	135.78
S. H. Blodgett, M.D., Gravel	535.75
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	\$22,925.88

MISCELLANEOUS

PAYMENTS

Edward Bannon, Care of Public Buildings	\$720.00
Charles Woodhull, Care of Piano, 1923 and 1924	69.50
Emery Howard Co., Insurance on Town Property	1,241.77
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Service	57.08
J. J. Kelliher, Constable	300.00
Isaac Langille, Constable and Game Warden	31.00
George Cunningham, Constable, 1924	25.00
Doherty Garage, Auto Hire, Police Duty	207.05
Charles S. Smith, Coal for Town Hall	310.79
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light, Town Hall	81.54
The Davol Printing House, Printing	2.75
Daniels Printing Co., Printing	619.10
Charles M. Robinson, Services at Elections	9.00
Harriet Peirce, Services at Elections	21.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services at Elections	21.00
Thomas L. Giles, Services at Elections	12.00
May Dougherty, Services at Election	5.00
Georgia Crenner, Services at Election	5.00
George G. Tarbell, Services at Election	5.00
Edith Stone, Services at Election	5.00
Ethel MacRae, Services at Election	5.00
William C. Robus, Services at Election	3.00
Robert G. Donaldson, Jr., Services at Election	3.00
Thomas L. Giles, Collecting Taxes, 1923	520.41
William Sherman, Services as Assessor	60.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Assessor	50.00
William C. Peirce, Services as Assessor	50.00
William C. Peirce, Clerical Work	35.00
William C. Peirce, Town Clerk	125.00

William C. Peirce, Express and Postage	7.74
Francis Doane Co., Town Books	55.18
Thomas Groom & Co., Tax Books	4.61
John F. Farrar, Selectman, Overseer and Registrar	200.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Selectman, Overseer and Registrar	200.00
Charles S. Smith, Selectman, Overseer, Registrar and Postage	213.60
C. Lee Todd, Town Treasurer and Postage	317.00
Calvin W. Childs, Part Payment on Ford Car	200.00
W. L. Barnes, M.D., Returning Birth	.25
C. S. Smith, Coal, 11.5 tons @ 15.50 long tons and weighing 1.00	179.25
City of Waltham, Tuition 2 Pupils Practical Arts	21.00
Matthew H. Doherty, Services on Fire Dept.	25.00
Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr., Services	25.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services	25.00
Harold S. Cousins, Services	25.00
John J. Kelliher, Services	25.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services	25.00
Harold S. Cousins, Labor at Fires	45.75
Herbert G. Farrar, Labor at Fires	28.00
Francis Corrigan, Labor at Fires	2.50
C. W. Calkins, Labor at Fires	3.50
Lyman Cousins, Labor at Fires	6.00
Warren Sherman, Labor at Fires	2.50
James Corrigan, Labor at Fires	11.00
Richard Corrigan, Labor at Fires	3.50
James Ryan, Labor at Fires	1.00
T. A. Calkins, Labor at Fires	3.50
William C. Robus, Labor at Fires	11.00
William A. Robus, Labor at Fires	8.00
Charles Arzamaski, Labor at Fires	2.50
M. J. Rooney, Labor at Fires	2.50
Timothy Ahearn, Labor at Fires	3.00

George Wellman, Labor at Fires	2.50
James Taylor, Labor at Fires	4.00
Frank Reycroft, Labor at Fires	2.00
John McHugh, Labor at Fires	10.50
John W. Rooney, Jr., Labor at Fires	2.50
Frank O'Brien, Labor at Fires	2.50
Frank Ryan, Labor at Fires	2.00
F. J. D. Bamforth, Labor at Fires	2.50
Eugene Jose, Labor at Fires	4.50
J. Diamond, Labor at Fires	4.00
Joseph Frazio, Labor at Fires	1.50
M. Diamond, Labor at Fires	3.00
Doherty Garage, Supplies and Labor at Fires	225.19
Rollins Bros., Supplies	11.45
Middlesex Co., Supplies	27.75
State of Mass., Supplies	.75
P. B. Murphy, Supplies	1.85
O. L. Storey Scenic Co., Supplies	40.00
Sidney MacRae, Delivering Town Reports	3.00
Martin M. Welch, Inspecting Cattle	34.37
Thomas L. Giles, Collecting Taxes, 1922	710.46
Harry Saunders, Electrical Work	55.12
Mary L. Loughlin, Multigraphing and Addressing Cards	5.00
J. Milbury, Sharpening Lawn Mowers	6.10
Water Commissioners, Water, Town Hall	50.00
Est. of I. N. MacRae, Labor and Supplies, Town Hall	47.85
James W. Lennon, Town Auditor	125.00

\$7,668.26

RECAPITULATION

PAYMENTS

Schools	\$28,108.45
Highway Special	22,925.88
Highway State Aid	11,315.49
Highways	10,151.04
Water	8,462.40
Miscellaneous	7,668.26
Donald Gordon Fund	5,000.00
Moths	3,743.86
Hydrants and Other Public Water Service	2,432.00
Street Lights	1,789.64
District Nurse	1,655.18
Lincoln Library	985.56
Cemetery	560.25
Fire Department	504.18
Mothers' Aid and Support of Poor	416.00
Waltham Hospital	400.00
July 4th Celebration	329.04
Middlesex Co. Ext. Service	200.00
Interest	195.08
	<hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> \$106,842.31

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING AND TRUST FUNDS

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

WATER WORKS SINKING FUND

1924

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$4,846.03
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s due 1932	105.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s due 1934	175.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s (Serial)	20.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s due 1936	560.00
	\$500 Town of Lincoln Serial 4s due	500.00
	Cash, C. L. Todd, Treas. Town of Lincoln	1,500.00
	Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4½s due 1928	127.50
	Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4½s due 1938	425.00
	Interest on Deposit	106.70
		<u>\$6,345.23</u>

1924

Cr.

Dec. 17	\$1,500 U. S. Liberty 4½s due 1938	\$1,509.39
31	Balance	4,835.84
		<u>\$6,345.23</u>

The Fund is invested as follows:

- \$14,000 Town of Lincoln 4s, due September, 1936.
- \$3,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due September, 1932.
- \$3,000 U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1928.
- \$10,000 U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1938.
- \$5,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due November, 1934.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

FUND FOR PURCHASE OF SCHOOLHOUSE BONDS

1924		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$5,428.00
		Interest	152.50
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			\$5,580.50
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1924		<i>Cr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Coupons, Schoolhouse bonds, January 1st	\$ 60.00
July	1	Coupons, Schoolhouse bonds July 1st	60.00
Dec.	31	Balance	5,460.50
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			\$5,580.50
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Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE G. TARBELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1924

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance principal a/c	\$510.00
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	3.50
	Dividends, American Tel. & Tel. Co.....	36.00
	Dividends, Boston Elev. Ry. Co. 1st pfd.....	56.00
	Sale, 4 Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. rights.....	14.78
	Interest	24.89
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		\$645.17
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1924

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$120.90
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	524.78
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		\$645.17
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The Fund is invested as follows:

- 8 shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "B."
- 7 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company first preferred.
- 8 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co.
- 4 shares American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
- $\frac{1}{2}$ share Boston Elevated Railway Co. second preferred.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE RUSSELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1924

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$33.02
		Interest	2.48
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			\$35.50
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1924

Cr.

Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$ 2.48
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	33.02
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			\$35.50
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The Fund is invested as follows:

- 7 shares Boston & Maine Railroad Co. preferred "A"
- 2 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JULIA A. BEMIS FUND FOR BENEFIT OF LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1924	<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance	\$35.34
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	7.00
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Company 5s	50.00
	Interest	5.05
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		\$97.39
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1924	<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$62.05
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	35.34
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		\$97.39
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The Fund is invested as follows:

1 share Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$1,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1924

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$18.33
		Coupons, American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	50.00
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	3.50
		Interest	2.03
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			\$73.86
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1924

Cr.

Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$55.53
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	18.33
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			\$73.86
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The Fund is invested as follows:

½ share Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$1,000. American Ttl. & Tel. Co. 5s, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR LINCOLN LIBRARY

1924

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$ 29.37
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	21.00
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s	100.00
	Interest	7.29
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		\$157.66
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1924

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$128.29
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	29.37
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		\$157.66
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The Fund is invested as follows:

3 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$2,000. Unittd States Rubber 5s, due 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR SILENT POOR

1924		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$1,134.11
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s, due 1947	100.00
		Interest	81.63
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			\$1,315.74
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1924		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Paid on Selectmen's orders	\$ 67.75
		Balance on Deposit, Income Account	1,086.83
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	161.16
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			\$1,315.74
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The Fund is invested as follows:

\$2,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR TOWN HEARSE

1924		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$312.06
		Dividend, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.	45.00
		Interest	22.42
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			\$379.48
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1924		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Balance on Deposit	\$379.48
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The Fund is invested as follows:

15 shares Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND TRUSTEES

In Account with

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND

1924

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$2,015.82
		Dividends, Pennsylvania R. R. Co.	150.00
		Dividends, Boston & Providence R. R. Co.	100.00
		Dividends, Old Colony Railroad Co.	70.00
		Dividends, Boston & Albany R. R. Co.	140.00
		Dividends, American Telephone & Telegraph Co....	585.00
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 1st pfd.....	40.00
		Dividends, Great Northern Ry. Co. pfd.....	125.00
		Coupons, American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s..	50.00
		Coupons, Southern Railway Co. 4s	120.00
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s	50.00
		Interest on Deposit	37.49
		65 American Tel. & Tel. Co. Rights	207.74
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			\$3,691.05

1924

Cr.

Jan.	7	Russian Sextette	\$ 200.00
Feb.	19	Doherty Garage	10.00
Mch.	12	Ferrell Ensemble	203.79
Apr.	3	P. A. Carter, Postals, etc.	5.60
	7	Albert L. Squier	76.20
May	12	Doherty Garage	4.00
	10	Schubert Quartette	97.44
	31	Charles W. Furlong	75.00
		A. D. Hardy	11.24
June	30	P. A. Carter, Postals, etc.	5.00
July	4	Waltham Lodge Band	162.50
Oct.	4	The Merrymount Double Male Quartette	84.51
	15	P. A. Carter, Postals, etc.	6.50
	17	Geo. H. Dean, 50 Display Cards	15.00
	22	P. A. Carter, Postals, etc.	5.45
	24	Maud Huntington Benjamin	61.12
	31	Henry D. Newcombe Concert Co.	128.60

Nov. 12	P. A. Carter, 2 Postals, Printing, etc.	9.15
14	Ralph P. Robinson	114.24
Dec. 2	P. A. Carter, Postals, Printing, etc.	4.70
5	Alfred J. Swan	75.00
11	Doherty Garage	8.00
31	Doherty Garage	4.00
	P. A. Carter, Postals, etc.	4.70
	Balance on hand	2,319.31
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		\$3,691.05
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The Fund is invested as follows:

50 shares Pennsylvania R. R. Co.
 30 " Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "B"
 10 " Boston & Providence R. R. Co.
 16 " Boston & Albany R. R. Co.
 10 " Boston & Maine R. R. preferred "A"
 10 " Old Colony R. R. Co.
 5 " Boston Elevated Railway Co. first preferred.
 65 " American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
 25 " Great Northern Railway Co. preferred.
 \$4,000 New York Railways Co. 5s of 1942.
 \$1,000 New York Railways Co. 4s of 1942.
 \$3,000 Southern Railway Co. 4s of 1956.
 \$1,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s of 1946.
 \$1,000 U. S. Rubber Co. 5s of 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

The Commissioners submit herewith the following report for the year 1924:

There has been expended in connection with the general work on the cemeteries the sum of \$560.25. This sum will be taken from the Cemetery Fund and paid to the Town Treasury in accordance with the vote of the Town. Further progress has been made in the work of perfecting the records and having the matters connected with the cemetery put in regular and proper condition.

Five lots have been taken during the year, and one is surprised, especially if they are not often at the new cemetery, to see how rapidly the lots are being taken. The Cemetery Commissioners wish again to call the attention of the Town to the advisability at the present time of purchasing additional land adjoining the cemetery belonging to the estate of Mr. Charles S. Wheeler, and the Commissioners recommend that definite action be taken to acquire this land by purchase or otherwise.

The report of the Town Treasurer and Auditor will show the receipts and expenditures during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. SMITH,
EDWARD F. FLINT,
FRITZ CUNNERT.

Cemetery Commissioners.

THE TOWN TREASURER

In Account with

THE LINCOLN CEMETERY COMMISSION

1924

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance on hand	\$ 640.53
	Dividends, American Sugar pfd.	28.00
	Lot A	30.00
	Lot 265	30.00
	Lot 138½	15.00
	Lot 111	30.00
	Lot 111A	25.00
	Dividends, Union Pacific pfd.	12.00
	Interest from Middlesex Inst. of Savings	876.41
	Interest on balance	24.52
	Thomas Huddleston Lot	200.00
	Ellen T. Trask Lot	200.00
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		\$2,111.46
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1924

Cr.

June 16	Middlesex Inst. of Savings (Ellen T. Trask)	\$ 200.00
	Middlesex Inst. of Savings (E. H. Rogers)	250.00
	Middlesex Inst. of Savings (Thomas Huddleston) ..	200.00
	Town of Lincoln	415.73
Dec. 31	Balance	1,045.73
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		\$2,111.46
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The following is a list of securities held by the Town Treasurer:

Four shares American Sugar Refining Co. preferred.

Three shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. preferred.

Two shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "A."

Also the following funds for the care of lots in cemetery, all of which are deposited in the Middlesex Institution of Savings, Concord, Mass.

General Fund \$200.52.

Orilla J. Flint Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$15.97.

Samuel Hartwell Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$15.97.

Annie A. Ray Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$15.97.
 John H. Pierce Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$26.62.
 Maria L. Thompson Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$26.62.
 George F. Harrington Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$5.27.
 Francis Flint Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$13.22.
 William W. Benjamin Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$24.30.
 Abijah G. Jones Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$14.58.
 Ellen F. Whitney Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$4.84.
 E. H. Rogers Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$4.69.
 Ellen T. Trask, \$200 plus accumulated interest of \$3.75.
 Thomas Huddleston, \$200.

(Signed) C. LEE TODD,
Treasurer.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

DONALD GORDON RECREATION FUND

1924	<i>Dr.</i>	
Mch. 10	Cash from Town Treasurer	\$5,000.00
Dec. 1	Interest	94.69
		<u>\$5,094.69</u>
1924	<i>Cr.</i>	
Sept. 9	2,000 Shawsheen Mills 7s	\$2,058.00
	Interest	61.44
	Balance principal a/c	2,942.00
	Balance income a/c	33.25
		<u>\$5,094.69</u>

The Fund is invested as follows:

\$2,000 Shawsheen Mills 7s of 1931.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Board of Assessors submit the following report:

Number of residents assessed on property	333
“ non-residents assessed on property	82
“ assessed on polls only	154
“ acres of land assessed	8,740
“ dwelling houses assessed	304
“ horses assessed	143
“ cows assessed	439
“ net cattle other than cows assessed	68
“ swine assessed	240
“ sheep assessed	23
“ fowl assessed	4,815
Value of land exclusive of buildings	\$735,200
“ buildings exclusive of land	1,216,130
“ real estate	1,951,330
“ personal estate	316,745
Total valuation	\$2,268,075
State tax	3,600.00
County tax	2,864.80
State Highway tax	412.00
Town Grants	64,550.00
Over layings	624.17
Total	\$72,050.97
Deductions	
Income tax	\$17,711.71
Money taken from treasury	15,000.00
Total deductions	32,711.71
Amount to be collected	39,339.26
Rate of taxation \$17.00 per \$1000.00.	
No. of Polls 391.	

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN
WILLIAM C. PEIRCE
HERBERT G. FARRAR,
Assessors.

RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Adams, John	625	10.63			10.63
Adams, Mary O.	3,900	66.30	78,800	1,339.60	1,405.90
A'Hearn, Timothy			2,500	42.50	42.50
Algeo, John O.	300	5.10			5.10
Baker, James E.	100	1.70			1.70
Baker, Asahel			4,500	76.50	76.50
Bailey, Edward O.	360	6.12	4,300	73.10	79.22
Balch, Francis N.	400	6.80			6.80
Bannon, Edward			2,000	34.00	34.00
Banton, Edward F.	500	8.50			8.50
Barnes, Thomas			1,000	17.00	17.00
Baskin, William J.	270	4.59	3,000	51.00	55.59
Bean, Abbie E.	600	10.20	3,500	59.50	69.70
Bean, Elmer A.	600	10.20			10.20
Bean, Mrs. Henry S.			4,000	68.00	68.00
Bemis, Julia A., Est.	1,500	25.50	3,650	62.05	87.55
Bent, Edwin S.	1,000	17.00			17.00
Bent, Edwin S., et al.			3,500	59.50	59.50
Blodgett, Emma S.			20,000	340.00	340.00
Blodgett, Stephen H.	500	8.50	8,500	144.50	153.00
Boothman, Carl	25	.43			.43

Bova, Conti Pasqual	400	6.80	6,200	105.40	112.20
Bowles, William	925	15.73	3,500	59.50	75.23
Bowen, David C.	650	11.05			11.05
Bowen, Lorenzo W.			15,000	255.00	255.00
Bowman, Robert A.	100	1.70			1.70
Boyce Bros.	4,328	73.58	8,500	144.50	218.08
Boyce, George Minott.	200	3.40			3.40
Boyce, John P.	50	.85			.85
Boyce, Manley B.			2,600	44.20	44.20
Boyce, Michael J.	50	.85	4,500	76.50	77.35
Bradley, Sarah A. W.			500	8.50	8.50
Bradstreet, Byron, Est.	3,100	52.70	7,000	119.00	119.00
Brandon, John A.	300	5.10	5,000	85.00	137.70
Briggs, Jane F.	100	1.70	6,000	102.00	107.10
Briggs, Richard, Jr.	1,000	17.00			1.70
Brooks, Albert S.					17.00
Brooks, Estella M.	600	10.20	3,000	51.00	51.00
Brooks, Lorenzo E.	500	8.50	5,000	85.00	95.20
Brooks, Sarah W., et al.	340	5.78	4,500	76.50	85.00
Browning, Edgar C.	1,535	26.10	2,500	42.50	48.28
Browning, George U.	475	8.08	6,000	102.00	128.10
Bunker, Abbie	600	10.20	3,000	51.00	59.08
Burgess, John A.	575	9.78	7,000	119.00	129.20
Burke, Thomas D.	100	1.70	1,600	27.20	38.98
Burnes, William C.	1,015	17.26	850	14.45	1.70
Butcher, Charles R.	300	5.10	2,000	34.00	31.71
Butcher, Henry A.	275	4.68	3,200	54.40	39.10
Butcher, Ralph E.					59.08

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Calkins, James T.....	100	1.70	2,600	44.20	55.90
Calkins, T. Alonzo	400	6.80	3,000	51.00	57.80
Campbell, Fanny S., et al.....			9,100	154.70	154.70
Carlson, Benjamin E.....	2,200	37.40	20,000	340.00	377.40
Catore, Angelo			3,000	51.00	51.00
Chapin, Arthur F.	300	5.10			5.10
Chapin, Carrie B.....			1,500	25.50	25.50
Chapin, Clara F.			6,400	108.80	108.80
Chapin, Cyrus S.....	1,500	25.50			25.50
Chapin, Elizabeth G. et al.....			2,000	34.00	34.00
Christiansen, Peter	100	1.70	700	11.90	13.60
Clapp, Clarence G.	50	.85			.85
Clark, John T.....	1,000	17.00	7,000	119.00	136.00
Clark, Thomas	100	1.70			1.70
Coan, Bridgett	950	16.15	3,500	59.50	75.65
Coan, John H.....	2,650	45.05	4,000	68.00	113.05
Coan, Thomas F.	75	1.28	3,000	51.00	52.28
Coburn, Edward S.....	1,850	31.45	5,000	85.00	116.45
Codman, Alice N., Est.	2,249	38.23			38.23
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.....	1,455	24.74			24.74
Codman, Hugh	4,655	79.14			79.14
Codman, Thomas N.....	1,300	22.10			22.10

Codman, Thomas N., and } Trustees	240	4.08	75,000	1,275.00	1,279.08
Codman, Hugh,					
Connors, Michael	250	4.25	1,550	19.55	23.80
Conway, William J.	650	11.05	1,900	32.30	43.35
Cook, George	300	5.10			5.10
Corrigan, Francis J.	300	5.10			5.10
Corrigan, Patrick F.			2,000	34.00	34.00
Corrigan, Mary			2,000	34.00	34.00
Costello, William	100	1.70			1.70
Cotona, Nicholas	500	8.50	1,000	17.00	25.50
Cousins, Ashley B.	150	2.55			2.55
Cousins, Harold S.	850	14.45	6,200	105.40	119.85
Cousins, Lillian L.	3,450	58.65	6,000	102.00	162.65
Crook, Russel G.	30	.51	3,000	51.00	51.51
Crowley, Mary A.			1,000	17.00	17.00
Cruikshank, Andrew	150	2.55			2.55
Cunnert, Carl T.	535	9.10	3,500	59.50	68.60
Cunnert, Fritz	300	5.10			5.10
Cunningham, Francis H.			4,000	68.00	68.00
Cunningham, George E.					4.25
Danner, John	250	4.25	5,000	85.00	85.00
Davidson, Samuel S.	200	3.40			3.40
Davis, Alfred G.	2,000	34.00	7,500	127.50	161.50
Davis, E. Russel	400	6.80			6.80
Davis, Prescott L.	1,375	23.38	9,000	153.00	176.38
Davison, Everett H.	200	3.40	2,000	34.00	37.40
Dean, Clarence H.	200	3.40			3.40
Dean, Harold S.	100	1.70			1.70

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DeCordova, Julian	12,300	209.10	46,000	782.00	991.10
DeCordova, Julian, Ex.	11,459	194.80			194.80
Dee, Thomas J.	1,000	17.00	5,000	85.00	102.00
Delory, John	250	4.25			4.25
Delory, Theresa			1,000	17.00	17.00
Delorey, William	200	3.40	500	8.50	11.90
Dempsey, Edward	500	8.50	1,500	25.50	34.00
De Normandie, Charles L.	1,200	20.40	6,000	102.00	122.40
De Normandie, William J.	400	6.80			6.80
De Palma, Nicholas			500	8.50	8.50
Diamond, James	175	2.98	800	13.60	16.58
Denio, F. Winchester	1,000	17.00	2,000	34.00	51.00
Dodge, Kate, F. P.			3,500	59.50	59.50
Donaldson, James F.	500	8.50			8.50
Donaldson, Robert D.	7,000	119.00	37,600	639.20	758.20
Doherty, Anthony J.	1,000	17.00	4,500	76.50	93.50
Doherty & Corrigan	5,000	85.00	5,500	93.50	178.50
Doherty, Mary			1,500	25.50	25.50
Doherty, Matthew H.			3,000	51.00	51.00
Dougherty, Andrew John	100	1.70			1.70
Dougherty, Andrew J.	1,330	22.61	2,500	42.50	65.11
Dougherty, Mary M.	300	5.10			5.10
Domenichello, Domenick	450	7.65	2,000	34.00	41.65

Eaton, Winslow A.....	300	5.10	1,500	25.50	30.60
Edgerly, Jonathan F.....	2,000	34.00	20,500	348.50	382.50
Ehlert, Ellen			2,000	34.00	34.00
Ellms, Charles W.....			5,000	85.00	85.00
Ellms, Marjorie	300	5.10			5.10
Emerson, Carl E.....	350	5.95	2,400	40.80	46.75
Farrar, Edward R.	775	13.18	9,000	153.00	166.18
Farrar, Herbert G.....			4,250	72.25	72.25
Farrar, John F.....			3,000	51.00	51.00
Farrar, John F. & Son.....	900	15.30			15.30
Farquhar, David.....			5,500	93.50	93.50
First, Parish			5,500	93.50	93.50
Fleming, Mary	70	1.19	600	10.20	11.39
Flint Bros.			17,300	294.10	294.10
Flint, Edward F.....	2,375	40.38	4,500	76.50	116.88
Flint, Ephraim B.....	2,500	42.50	8,000	136.00	178.50
Florio, Teto	200	3.40			3.40
Flynn, Frank J.....	500	8.50	2,500	42.50	51.00
Foreman, Charles F.			2,000	34.00	34.00
Foster, Helen P.....			350	5.95	5.95
French, Lindol	100	1.70			1.70
Gately, Annie E.....			17,000	289.00	289.00
Gayer, Clara W.			1,500	25.50	25.50
Giles, Thomas L.....			2,250	38.25	38.25
Giles, Thomas T.	600	10.20	1,000	17.00	27.20
Glover, Charles A.....	650	11.05	2,500	42.50	53.55
Gordon, Mrs. Donald	21,400	363.80	135,000	2,295.00	2,658.80
Graf, Edward			500	8.50	8.50

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Graves, George A.....	516	8.77	5,000	85.00	93.77
Graves, George A., Trustee			40	.68	.68
Gustin, Francis E.	1,350	22.95			22.95
Hagerty, Raymond E.	200	3.40			3.40
Hamilton, Celeste C.....			3,000	51.00	51.00
Hallett, Lawrence	200	3.40			3.40
Hallett, Walter G.	100	1.70			1.70
Hallett, Wilbur H.	100	1.70			1.70
Harding, William A.....	200	3.40	2,000	34.00	37.40
Hart, Joseph S.....	500	8.50	20,500	348.50	348.50
Hatheway, Conrad P.....	300	5.10	6,500	110.50	119.00
Hartwell, J. Redman	100	1.70			5.10
Harvey, Gerald R.	450	7.65	5,000	85.00	92.65
Heald, Jay M.	1,300	22.10	12,800	217.60	249.70
Herman, Edwards W.....	500	8.50			8.50
Hews, Annie M.	4,000	68.00			68.00
Higginson, A. Henry	3,350	56.95			56.95
Higginson, Jeanne A.....	200	3.40	5,750	97.75	101.15
Hilliard, Florence M.....	100	1.70			1.70
Hilliard, William M.....					
Hills, George E.....	500	8.50	1,500	25.50	25.50
Hobbs, Edward S., Jr.			2,500	42.50	51.00
Hodges, George C.....			7,500	127.50	127.50

Hogan, Edward J.	200	3.40			3.40
Hoyt, Jesse	300	5.10			5.10
Holman, Daniel				200	3.40
Hunt, Merrill	900	15.30		9,000	153.00
Hunter, Euphema J.	1,440	24.48		6,800	115.60
Hutton, James				1,000	17.00
Jensen, Holger J.	300	5.10			5.10
Jensen, Niel	675	11.48		2,500	42.50
Jensen, Otto A. B.	200	3.40			3.40
Johnson, Bernhard	300	5.10			5.10
Johansen, John	50	.85		100	1.70
Johnson, John				300	5.10
Johnson, Walter W.	100	1.70		5,455	92.74
Jones, George F., Est.				3,200	54.40
Jose, Eugene	725	12.33		3,400	57.80
Kelliher, John J.				3,000	51.00
Kennedy, Honor				3,100	52.70
Kidder Bros.	1,500	25.50		11,000	187.00
Kind, Elizabeth L.				2,500	42.50
Kinney, Robert C.	200	3.40			3.40
Lahey, James				1,000	17.00
J. Laird, Mrs. James T.				2,750	46.75
Lamont, Henry	150	2.55			2.55
Langille, Isaac	100	1.70			1.70
Le Moine, Arthur A.	800	13.60			13.60
Lennon, James W.				2,500	42.50
Lennon, John B.				2,500	42.50
Lennon, Patrick J.				1,300	22.10

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Lewis, James P.....	2,000	34.00			34.00
Lincoln, Farms	3,500	59.50			59.50
Little, Amos R.....	1,100	18.70	30,000	510.00	528.70
Loring, Robert G.....	1,650	28.05	5,200	88.40	116.45
Lunt, Charles	100	1.70	1,500	25.50	28.05
Lynch, James P.	100	1.70			1.70
MacAskill, Dan	100	1.70	2,700	45.90	47.60
Mac Rae, Isaac N., Est.....			3,600	61.20	61.20
Mannarino, Joseph	325	5.53	4,000	68.00	73.53
Mann, David W.....	200	3.40	3,500	59.50	62.90
Marcy, Florence E. G.....	1,025	17.43	16,000	272.00	289.43
Martin, Ellen			2,500	42.50	42.50
Martin, Nathan E.	200	3.40	2,500	42.50	45.90
Martin, Orel F.....	300	5.10			5.10
McHugh, John E.	1,050	17.85	5,000	85.00	102.85
McFarland, Ernest H.	200	3.40			3.40
McLean, Hector J.....	200	3.40	2,500	42.50	45.90
McLeod, Earl	50	.85			.85
Morrissey, Annie	650	11.05	4,500	76.50	87.55
Montgomery, Hastwell T.	400	6.80			6.80
Mort, John H.	200	3.40			3.40

Moynihan, Timothy.....					3,000	51.00	51.00
Murphy, George	50	.85					.85
Nelson Bros.	2,075	35.28			8,000	136.00	171.28
Nelson, Charles M.	300	5.10					5.10
Neville Bros.	990	16.83					16.83
Neville, Martin					4,000	68.00	68.00
O'Brien, Frank M.....					400	6.80	6.80
O'Brien, James	500	8.50			1,500	25.50	34.00
O'Hearn, William J.	150	2.55					2.55
O'Leary, Delia	475	8.08			5,000	85.00	93.08
Osgood, Emily L.....	804	13.67			37,000	629.00	642.67
Page, Frank L.....	300	5.10					5.10
Page, G. William.....	400	6.80					6.80
Page, Henry R.....	600	10.20					10.20
Page, Henry R., et al.....					10,000	170.00	170.00
Pearson, Bert W.	725	12.33			3,800	64.60	76.93
Peck, Chester G.....	2,150	36.55			20,000	340.00	376.55
Peirce, William C.....	1,550	26.35			3,500	59.50	95.85
Peirce, William C., et al.....					14,000	238.00	238.00
Peterson, Andrew P.....					1,500	25.50	25.50
Pierce, Elsie					25,500	433.50	433.50
Poland, Verne L.	800	13.60					13.60
Pollard, Ann D.....	7,475	127.08			36,500	620.50	747.58
Pollard, Frederick H.....	15	.26			7,000	119.00	119.26
Porter, F. A., and W. J.	800	13.60			10,600	180.20	193.80
Powers, James F.	300	5.10					5.10
Preble, Charles O.	700	11.90					11.90
Quinby, Sarah P.					3,000	51.00	51.00

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Rasmussen, Robert	150	2.55			2.55
Rice, Edwin B.....	535	9.10	2,500	42.50	51.60
Rice, Warren A.	787	13.38			13.38
Riley, Ellen.....			6,000	102.00	102.00
Roche, Bridget			6,000	102.00	102.00
Roberts, William G.	550	9.35			9.35
Robinson, Charles M.	300	5.10			5.10
Robus, Tamzin K.....			2,000	34.00	34.00
Rogers, John H.....	400	6.80	5,000	85.00	91.80
Rooney, John W., Jr.....			1,500	25.50	25.50
Rooney, Martin J.	100	1.70			1.70
Rollins, Bros.....	2,150	36.55			36.55
Rollins, Charles L.	200	3.40			3.40
Rollins, Elmer A.	200	3.40			3.40
Ryan, Daniel	200	3.40			3.40
Ryan, Frank A.	400	6.80			6.80
Ryan, James T.	175	2.98			2.98
Ryan, Mary Josephine			2,500	42.50	42.50
Ryan, Mary			2,000	34.00	34.00
Ryan, Mary A.	150	2.55			2.55
Ryan, Statia			2,000	34.00	34.00
Sargent, Charles O.....	850	14.45	6,500	110.50	124.95
Scripture, Bertha	85	1.45			1.45

Scripture, Mary J.....	60	1.02				1.02
Seeckts, Albert			3,000	51.00		51.00
Seeckts, Marion S.	100	1.70				1.70
Seekins, Addison W.	200	3.40				3.40
Seekins, Theodore B.	200	3.40				3.40
Shepard, Richard A.....			1,200	20.40		23.80
Sherman, Daniel E.	1,700	28.90	3,000	51.00		51.00
Sherman, Carrie			11,500	195.50		224.40
Sherman, Roger	475	8.08	2,100	35.70		35.70
Sherman, Eugene A., Est.			5,200	88.40		96.48
Sherman, Warren A.	500	8.50	4,100	69.70		69.70
Sherman, William H.....	1,200	20.40				8.50
Silva, Manuel	2,400	40.80	4,000	68.00		88.40
Sims, John W.			5,500	93.50		134.30
Smith, Charles S.....	4,750	80.75	1,150	19.55		19.55
Smith, Lillian P.....	300	5.10	572.50	973.25		1,054.00
Smith, Sumner			3,000	51.00		56.10
Snelling, Caroline.....	500	8.50	3,000	51.00		51.00
Snelling, Marion L.....	300	5.10	3,000	51.00		59.50
Sousa, Joseph M.....	700	11.90	5,000	85.00		90.10
Spalding, Nellie H.....	300	5.10	1,200	20.40		32.30
Starrett, Leo	200	3.40	6,000	102.00		107.10
Storey, Moorfield	1,800	30.60				3.40
Taillacq, Isabel	200	3.40	24,000	408.00		438.60
Tarbell, George G.....	1,670	28.39	300	5.10		3.40
Tarbell, George G., Trustee			3,000	51.00		33.49
Tarbell, George G., Trustees			20,000	340.00		51.00
Tasker, Jennie K.	200	3.40	3,000	51.00		340.00
						54.40

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Todd, C. Lee.....	1,000	17.00	25,000	425.00	442.00
Townsend, Ethelyn	150	2.55			2.55
Tyler, Fred	300	5.10	2,200	37.40	42.50
Tyler, Watson, Est.			2,200	37.40	37.40
Warner, Henrietta	512	8.70			8.70
Warner, Henry E.....	3,000	51.00	12,000	204.00	255.00
Washburn, Mary J.....			2,000	34.00	34.00
Watson, Samuel J.....			1,500	25.50	25.50
Watson, William E.....			1,500	25.50	25.50
Welch, Helen F.....			500	8.50	8.50
Welch, Martin M.....			2,500	42.50	42.50
Weston, Georgianna H.....			5,000	85.00	85.00
Wetherbee, Charles E.	300	5.10			5.10
Wheeler, Andrew J.	200	3.40			3.40
Wheeler, Charles S., Est.					
Wheeler, Charlotte	1,500	25.50	11,500	195.50	195.50
Wheeler, Charlotte, et al.....					
Wheeler, Earl R.	300	5.10	4,500	76.50	25.50
Wheeler, C. Edgar	425	7.23	2,500	42.50	76.50
Wheeler, Edwin I., et al.			3,000	51.00	47.60
Wheeler, George R.....	700	11.90	3,500	59.50	58.23
Wheeler, Herman T.....	200	3.40	5,000	85.00	59.50
Whitney, Harold P.	300	5.10	4,000	68.00	96.90
					71.40
					5.10

Wilkins, Annie M.	500	8.50			8.50
Wilkins, John Howard				5,500	93.50
Wilson, John	650	11.05		3,500	59.50
Woodhull, Charles E.	650	11.05		6,500	110.50
					121.55

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Ames, Mrs. J. B., Cambridge			500	8.50	8.50
Baker, Walter F., Weston			120	2.04	2.04
Blodgett, Edwin S.			2,000	34.00	34.00
Briggs, Charles V.			12,500	212.50	212.50
Brooks, Mary A., Concord			650	11.05	11.05
Broughall, Margaret, Lexington			20	.34	.34
Brown, Elvira, Est., Lexington			250	4.25	4.25
Brown, Harry Wayland			100	1.70	1.70
Brown, William, Winchendon			1,040	17.68	17.68
Burgess, Harry A., Lexington			240	4.08	4.08
Carroll, Henrietta S., Malden			50	.85	.85
Cheaney, George, Weston			150	2.55	2.55
Clary, Dorothea M.			2,000	34.00	34.00
Coppinger, Joseph			11,000	187.00	187.00
Codman, Ogden, N. Y.	1,959	33.30			33.30

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Cousins, Fred E., Littleton.....			5,500	93.50	93.50
Curley, Annie, Boston			500	8.50	8.50
Curry, S. E., Somerville			200	3.40	3.40
Dean, Louis W., Waltham			2,500	42.50	42.50
DeNormandie, Alice W., Boston.....	1,225	20.83	17,500	297.50	308.33
DeNormandie, James, Boston.....			6,500	110.50	110.50
Donovan, Michael, Concord.....			300	5.10	5.10
Doyle, Daniel, Weston			700	11.90	11.90
Dunbar, William H., and } Boston			400	6.80	6.80
Hoar, D. Blakely,				3.40	3.40
Eaton, Frederick A., Concord			200		595.00
Edison Electric Illuminating Co., Boston	35,000	595.00			11.05
Emerson, E. W., Concord.....			650	103.70	103.70
Fallon, Matthew W., Jr., Boston.....			6,100	8.50	8.50
Fernald, Elmer.....			500	15.30	15.30
Fitchburg R. R. Co.....			900	2.55	2.55
Gile, Flora J., Concord.....			150	.85	.85
Gourgas, Francis R., Heirs of, Concord			50	272.00	272.00
Graves, Albert S., Brookline			16,000	1.70	1.70
Green, Grace, Topeka, Kansas.....			100	1.70	1.70
Grimwood, Henry A., Weston.....			100	112.20	112.20
Harrington, T. F., Waltham.....	7,000	119.00	6,600		
Hay, Robert T., Melrose.....			5,500	93.50	93.50

Hayden, Nellie B., Lexington.....	200	3.40	3.40
Higginson, Henry L., Est., Boston.....	70,000	1,190.00	1,190.00
Holmes, Sarah E., Arlington.....	200	3.40	3.40
Hunt, Lewis E., Somerville.....	1,000	17.00	17.00
Kaizer, Horace, Concord.....	2,500	42.50	42.50
Keyes, Prescott, Concord	11,000	187.00	187.00
Locke, Isaac, Heirs of, Boston.....	200	3.40	3.40
Loring, Augustus, P., Jr., Boston	4,500	76.50	76.50
Lovett, Robert W., Boston.....	6,000	102.00	102.00
Lima, Anthony J., Lexington.....	500	8.50	8.50
Lynski, Thomas, Waltham	2,500	42.50	42.50
Malloy, Mrs. John, Waltham	600	10.20	10.20
Marr, John W., Waltham.....	2,200	37.40	37.40
McGrath, Patrick, Concord.....	1,050	17.85	17.85
Munroe Felt & Paper Co., Boston	1,000	17.00	17.00
Neville, Henry P., Bedford.....	850	14.45	14.45
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.....	3,600	61.20	267.73
Norton, Mrs. T. M., Ayer	15	.26	.26
Paine, Horace G., Concord	150	2.55	2.55
Paul, Maria H., Boston	1,500	25.50	25.50
Place Gertrude	1,100	18.70	18.70
Pope, Amelia V., Joplin, Mo.....	10,000	170.00	170.00
Randall, Alton	500	8.50	8.50
Richardson, T. C., Weston.....	150	2.55	2.55
Rodman, Emma, Nahant.....	5,000	85.00	85.00
Rogers, Edward H., Cambridge.....	12,000	204.00	230.52
Root, Frank K., Chicago	600	10.20	10.20
	12,149	206.53	
	1,560	26.52	

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Shaw, Nellie S., Woburn.....			100	1.70	1.70
Sherman, Herbert A., Weston.....			100	1.70	1.70
Smith, Eugene H., Waltham.....			100	1.70	1.70
Smith, Eliza A., Portsmouth, N. H.....			200	3.40	3.40
Stewart, Frank, Waltham.....			100	1.70	1.70
Storror, Helen O., Boston.....			4,000	68.00	68.00
Storror, James J., Boston.....	11,850	201.45	141,000	2,397.00	2,598.45
Stow, Elizabeth, Concord.....			200	3.40	3.40
Thorndike, Sturgis H., Boston.....			2,000	34.00	34.00
Walker, A. Bruce, Milwaukee, Wis.....			250	4.25	4.25
Western Union Tel. Co.....	2,606	44.30			44.30
Wheeler, Frank, Est., Concord.....			2,500	42.50	42.50
Wheeler, Henry A., Weston.....			100	1.70	1.70
Wheelwright, Mary C., Boston.....			15,000	255.00	297.50
White, Robert, Lexington.....	2,500	42.50	1,000	17.00	17.00
Wilcox, Charlotte W., New Bedford.....			6,000	102.00	102.00
Woodward, Arthur, Weston.....			1,000	17.00	17.00
Worcester, Alice, Waltham.....			1,000	17.00	17.00

The Receipts and Expenditures for the Year 1924 have been as follows:

School for District Nurse	400.00
Selectmen's Orders	98,379.91
Middlesex County Tax	2,864.80
Balance, Special Fund from Massachusetts	628.03
Balance, December 31st, 1924	18,298.13

Balance on hand January 1, 1924	\$ 24,049.55
Donald Gordon Gift	5,000.00
T. L. Giles, Collector of Taxes	39,908.59
Highway Department—Mass. State Aid	275.00
“ “ “ State Aid	792.00
“ “ “ Local	246.75
“ “ “ Highway Special	2,758.50
“ “ “ Middlesex County	7,500.00
“ “ “ Massachusetts	10,300.00
School Department, from Boston	2,493.13
“ “ “ Mass. School Fund	19.80
“ “ “ Lincoln Grammar Fund	57.53
“ “ “ Mass. Transportation H. S.	1,702.55
“ “ “ Vocational Educational	273.26
“ “ “ Tuition of Children	1,400.82
“ “ “ Ticket Rebate	.83
“ “ “ General School Fund	1,690.00
Dog Tax	185.56
Cemetery Fund	415.73
Town Hall	40.00
Mass. Inspection of Animals	39.19
Cambridge Tax	275.93
Miscellaneous	6.30
Moist Department	1,169.60
District Nurse	242.10
“ “ “ Sudbury	195.00
“ “ “ Lincoln School	400.00
Concord Court	341.70
Interest	336.25
Massachusetts, from Bank Tax	149.75
“ “ “ Corporation Tax 1923	49.22
“ “ “ Civilian Tax	141.00
“ “ “ National Bank Tax 1923	1,116.06
“ “ “ Income Tax 1922	100.33
“ “ “ 1923	234.00
“ “ “ 1924	16,022.75
“ “ “ Special Fund	628.03

\$120,570.87

C. LEE TODD,
Treasurer

REPORT OF COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Jan. 6, 1925.

All taxes, prior to those assessed in 1924, have been collected and turned over to the Town Treasurer. Of the 1924 Assessment, the amount to be collected is \$39,339.26. Of this amount there are abatements amounting to \$310.06, which leaves the amount to be collected \$39,029.20. Of this amount I have collected, Dec. 30, 1924, and turned over to the Town Treasurer, \$34,109.63, which leaves uncollected \$4,919.57. About 12½% uncollected.

Since Dec. 30 I have collected almost \$1,000 and it seems to be coming in well.

THOMAS L. GILES,
Collector.

Outstanding Bonds January 1, 1925

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT

Issue of 1900 due 1930 3½s, J. & D.....	\$10,000.00
Issue of 1900 due 1930 Reg'd 3½s, J. & D. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts)	13,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Coupon 3½s, M. & S.....	6,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Reg'd 3½s, M. & S. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts)	3,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon 3½s, M. & S.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1906 due 1936 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	14,000.00
Issue of 1907 due 1937 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	4,000.00
Issue of 1907 Serial Coupon 4s, M. & S. (\$500 due each year)	1,500.00
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	\$61,500.00

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

The Water Commissioners respectfully submit the following report for the year 1924.

The pumps and pumping station are in good condition. The pipe system has given less trouble than usual. A few years ago the station road cement pipe had several bad leaks, which were repaired with much trouble and expense. On this account it was the plan to renew this pipe at once. The past two years there have been fewer leaks, therefore the Board plans to lay a convenient portion of new pipe each year, which it can do under the oversight of the Superintendent, and paying for it from surplus. Another reason for this change of plan is the fact that the cost of laying the Coan extension, which was completed in early fall, was about one half the sum of the lowest bid for the job.

SUMNER SMITH,
JOHN J. KELLIHER,
ROBERT R. HUNTER.

Summary of Statistics for Year Ending December 31, 1924

PUMPING STATISTICS

Rumsey Triplex Pump, 10½" x 12", 25 H.P. motor.

Rumsey Triplex Pump, 12" x 14", 40 H.P. motor.

Power furnished by Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston.

Total water pumped for year 92,972,000 gallons.

Cost of pumping, figured on Pumping Station's expenses (including salaries and power), \$25.42 per million gallons.

Cost of pumping, figured on Pumping Station expenses, power, salaries, interest, repairs and renewals and depreciation, \$148.47 per million gallons pumped.

Statistics Relating to Distribution System

Mains

1. Kind of pipe used, cement lined, cast iron, wood stave, galvanized iron.
2. Sizes, 1½" to 12".
3. Extended during the year, 1560 ft.
4. Discontinued during the year, none.
5. Total now in use, 26,909 miles.
6. Number of hydrants added during the year, 2.
7. Number of hydrants replaced, 2.
8. Number of Hydrants (public and private) now in use, 128.
9. Number of stop-gates renewed, 1. Number of stop-gates added during the year, 1.
10. Number of stop-gates now in use, 137.
11. Number of blow-offs, 30.
12. Range of pressure on mains, 40 pounds to 100 pounds.

Services

13. Kind of pipe, galvanized iron and cement lined.
14. Sizes, ¾" to 4".
15. Renewed, 6. Discontinued, 0.
16. Number of service taps added during the year, 8.
17. Number now in use, 361.
18. Average length of service, 12' +.
19. Meters now in use, 13.

Water Report

PROFIT AND LOSS

Year ending December 31, 1924.

<i>Cr.</i>		<i>Dr.</i>	
Rates	\$12,424.37	Expense	\$ 51.30
Meter	1,229.27	Power	1,663.75
Sundry	214.10	Salaries	625.00
		Interest	2,295.00
		Repairs and renewals	1,168.25
		Net Gain	8,064.44
	<u>\$13,867.74</u>		<u>\$13,867.74</u>
LIABILITIES		ASSETS	
Bonds outstanding	\$61,500.00	Construction	\$189,569.32
Town of Lincoln Loan 1912	4,787.51	Sinking Fund	39,900.00
Surplus	176,945.03	Water bills uncollected	202.45
		Cash on hand	13,560.77
	<u>\$243,232.54</u>		<u>\$243,232.54</u>

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TREE WARDEN'S REPORT

I herewith submit a brief report on the work done on the trees and against the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths for the year ending December 31, 1924.

The methods used in handling the Gypsy Moth while not so extensive, were practically the same as in past years, with the exception that the spraying along our roadsides was not done this year. I am pleased to say that the Gypsy Moth infestation is not as severe as it has been, conditions as a whole show a marked improvement. We found it necessary to go through the Orchards and remove the Brown Tail Moth webs again this year to prevent further spread, but it is reasonable to expect very little if any further damage from this insect. The work of removing the broken branches from the trees and cutting the brush and dead trees along the roadsides has been continued this year.

While we may not have to spend a large amount of money on Moth Work this year we can spend the money to good advantage cutting brush and trimming our roadside trees. The total expenditure of this department is \$3,743.86 of which there has been charged to property owners \$1,169.60 on account of private work, leaving a net cost of the town \$2,574.26. I recommend that \$3,000.00 be appropriated for Moth and Tree Work.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. KELLIHER.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees submit on the following pages the reports of the Librarian and Treasurer for the year ending December 31, 1924.

The chimney of the library has cracked, either through frost or from being hit by lightning, causing the chimney to lean inward. This necessitates rebuilding it, the cost of which can be met only by an additional appropriation from the Town.

The Trustees therefore ask for an appropriation of thirteen hundred dollars for the year ensuing.

GEORGE G. TARBELL,
Chairman of the Trustees.

Report of Treasurer of Lincoln Library for Year Ending December 31, 1924.

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1924.....	\$151.91
Cash received from fines.....	31.27
Income from Liberty Bonds.....	8.50
Income from Codman Fund.....	43.75
Dog Tax Return.....	185.56
Income from Trust Funds:—	
Abbie J. Stearns Fund.....	\$128.29
Julia A. Bemis Fund.....	62.05
John H. Pierce Fund.....	55.53
George Russell Fund.....	2.48
George G. Tarbell Fund.....	120.39
Town Appropriation.....	368.74
	800.00

\$1,589.73

EXPENSES

Supplies.....	\$5.28
Water Rate.....	10.00
Clerical Work.....	10.00
Sundries by Librarians.....	21.01
Telephone.....	28.35
Light.....	57.98
Repairs.....	63.48
Binding books.....	30.27
Fuel.....	226.15
Magazines.....	76.95
Books.....	263.92
Income of Pierce Fund paid to Librarians.....	55.53
Salary of Assistant Librarian from April 1.....	187.50
Salaries of Librarians.....	500.00

Total expenses.....\$1,536.42
Balance on hand.....53.31

\$1,589.73

The Codman Fund is invested in five shares of Boston and Albany Railroad stock. The Trustees also hold Liberty 4¼'s to the amount of \$200. These securities are in the hands of the Commissioner of Trust Funds.

JOHN F. FARRAR,
Treasurer.

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY STATISTICS

Annual Report for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1924

Library open Wednesday and Saturday from 3 to 9 P. M.,
except legal holidays.

Number of volumes at beginning of year	11,474	11,474
Number of volumes added by purchase	132	158
Number of volumes added by gift	13	8
Number of volumes withdrawn during year	98	25
Number of volumes at the end of year	11,521	11,521
Number of volumes of fiction lent for home use	2,694	3,247
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent for home use	1,708	1,471
Number of volumes of children's books lent for home use	1,699	2,222
Total number of volumes lent for home use	6,101	7,040
Largest number of volumes lent in one day	126	103
Smallest number of volumes lent in one day	14	22
Number of days Library was open	103	102

The following people have kindly donated books, magazines and pamphlets: Miss Mae Dougherty, Miss S. L. Arnold, Mr. Arthur Chapin, Mr. A. H. Higginson, Mrs. William Blodgett, Mrs. Webster Harrington, Miss Mabel Mosher, Mr. J. de Cordova, Mr. J. Waldo Smith, William S. Hart, Mrs. C. Wilcox, Mrs. F. H. Pollard, Mr. James Baker, Mr. George G. Tarbell.

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY STATISTICS

Accessions to the Library for 1924

FICTION

Bailey, Temple. Peacock feathers.....	773.5
Bailey, Temple. The tin soldier.....	773.6
Bassett, Sara Ware. Flood tide.....	773.8
Bennett, Arnold. Riceyman Steps.....	777.17
Birmingham, George A. King Tommy.....	774.6
Burt, Struthers. The Interpreter's house.....	777.26
Canfield, Dorothy. The home-maker.....	774.12
Comfort, Will Levington. The Public Square.....	774.5
Connor, Ralph. The Gaspards of Pine Croft.....	777.16
Cullum, Ridgwell. The saint of the Speedway.....	774.15
Dawson, Coningsby. The coast of folly.....	774.14
Dillon, Mary. The farmer of Roaring Run.....	738.14
Ertz, Susan. "Nina".....	773.2
Ferber, Edna. So big.....	777.24
Fitch, Albert Parker. None so blind.....	774.8
Fletcher, J. S. The Mazaroff mystery.....	774.4
Fletcher, J. S. The time-worn town.....	774.10
Gale, Zona. Birth.....	777.22
Garstin, Crosbie. The owl's house.....	774.2
Gibbs, Philip. Heirs apparent.....	774.19
Gluck, Sinclair. The house of the missing.....	774.23
Hamilton, Cosmo. The blindness of virtue.....	777.23
Hamsun, Knut. Children of the age. Translated from the Norwegian by J. L. Scott.....	775.24
Harris, Corra. A circuit rider's wife.....	774.24
Hawes, Charles Boardman. The dark frigate.....	777.14
Hough, Emerson. Mother of Gold.....	775.25
Hudson, Jay William. Nowhere else in the world.....	777.11
King, Basil. Happy isles.....	777.18
Kyne, Peter B. The enchanted hill.....	773.14
Lincoln, Joseph C. Rugged water.....	774.26
Locke, William J. The coming of Amos.....	773.11
Luther, Mark Lee. The boosters.....	775.26

McClure, Marjorie Barkley. High fires.....	774.7
Macaulay, Rose. Told by an idiot.....	774.20
McCutcheon, George Barr. East of the setting sun. A tale of Graustark.....	773.15
Mackail, Denis. Summertime.....	774.9
Marsh, George. The valley of voices.....	773.12
Mason, A. E. W. The house of the arrow.....	773.16
Merrick, Leonard. The man who was good.....	777.13
Miller, Elizabeth York. Obligations.....	773.13
Miln, Louise Jordan. In a Shantung garden.....	773.9
Montague, Margaret Prescott. Deep channel.....	777.12
Morley, Christopher and Marquis, Don. Pandora lifts the lid	774.21
Morrow, Honoré Willsie. The Devonshires.....	773.7
Mulford, Clarence E. Hopalong Cassidy returns.....	773.3
Norris, Kathleen. The Callahans and the Murphys.....	774.3
Oppenheim, Philip E. The wrath to come.....	774.25
Panter-Downes, Mollie. The shoreless sea.....	773.10
Pedler, Margaret. The barbarian lover.....	774.1
Poole, Ernest. The avalanche.....	774.22
Richards, Laura E. The Squire.....	777.19
Sabatini, Rafael. Mistress Wilding. A romance.....	774.11
Sedgwick, Anne Douglas. The little French girl.....	773.1
Small, Austin J. The frozen trail.....	774.17
Snaith, J. C. Araminta.....	777.9
Tarkington, Booth. The Midlanders.....	777.20
Train, Arthur. The needle's eye.....	773.4
Train, Arthur. Tut, tut! Mr. Tutt.....	777.10
Walpole, Hugh. Jeremy and Hamlet.....	777.15
Wallace, Edgar. The Green Archer.....	774.13
Wells, H. G. The dream.....	774.16
Wentworth, Patricia. The astonishing adventure of Jane Smith	777.21
Wharton, Edith. A son at the front.....	777.25
Wylie, Elinor. Jennifer Lorn: a sedate extravaganza...	774.18

CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Abbott, Jane. Fidelis.....	824.31
Beard, Dan. American boys book of birds and brownies of the woods.....	1228.16
Bennett, Ethel Hume. Camp Ken-Jockety.....	816.33

Chaffee, Allen. Chinook the cinnamon cub.....	1238.23
Collomb, Joseph. Working through at Lincoln High...	1228.20
Colver, Alice Ross. Jeanne's house party.....	1228.18
Crump, Irving. Boy's book of Forest Rangers.....	1218.25
Curtis, Alice Turner. Little maid of Bunker Hill.....	1218.24
De Amicis, Edmondo. Heart, a schoolboy's journal. Translated from the Italian by Isabel Hapgood.....	814.38
Hewes, Agnes Danforth. A boy of the lost Crusade....	1245.31
Hope, Laura Lee. The Bobbsey twins and baby May...	1218.26
Ingelow, Jean. Mopsa the fairy.....	C.S. 11
Kipling, Rudyard. Land and sea tales for boys and girls	825.38
Knowles, Sir James. Compiler. King Arthur and his knights	1233.28
Mahon, Rev. Michael P. Ireland's fairy lore.....	836.30
Marshall, Archibald. Jimmy, the new boy.....	827.32
Martin, Martha Evans. The friendly stars.....	1746.11
Potter, Miriam Clark. The pinafore pocket story book..	1222.30
Rolt-Wheeler, Francis. The magic-makers of Morocco	1235.28
Scoville, Samuel, Jr. Wild folk.....	836.29
Sharp, Evelyn. Who was Jane?.....	1228.19
Silvers, Earl Reed. Jackson of Hillsdale High.....	1228.17
Smith, Nora Archibald. Boys and girls of Bookland. With illustrations in color by Jessie Wilcox Smith..	C.S. 13
Spyri, Johanna. The little Alpine musician.....	C.S. 12
Spyri, Johanna. Vinzi. A story of the Swiss Alps.....	1245.30
Sweetser, Kate Dickinson. Ten girls from Dickens.....	812.33
Tappan, Eva March. Ella, a little schoolgirl of the sixties. A book for children and for grown-ups who remember	827.33
Terhune, Albert Payson. His dog.....	1242.28
Terhune, Albert Payson. Treve	838.9
Widdemer, Margaret. Winona's dreams come true.....	824.32
Zwilmeyer, Dikken. Four cousins. Translated from the Norwegian by Poulsson.....	1228.21

TRAVEL

Graham, Stephen. In quest of El Dorado.....	415.27
Hungerford, Edward. Planning a trip abroad.....	417.28
McGovern, William Montgomery. To Lhasa in disguise. A secret expedition through mysterious Tibet.....	426.29

Ossendowski , Ferdinand, in collaboration with Palen, Lewis Stanton. Beasts, men and gods.....	428.19
Ossendowski , Ferdinand, in collaboration with Palen, Lewis Stanton. Man and mystery in Asia....	428.18
Parker , Cornelia Stratton. Ports and happy places....	428.20
Rausome , Arthur. "Rancundra's first cruise." (Sailing in the eastern Baltic).....	428.17
Seton , Grace Thompson. Chinese lanterns.....	426.27
Thomas , Lowell. With Lawrence in Arabia.....	426.28

BIOGRAPHY

Annin , Robert Edwards. Woodrow Wilson. A character study	537.8
Berton , Mme. Pierre and Woon, B. The real Sarah Bernhardt	537.6
Butt , Archibald Willingham. The letters of Archie Butt, personal aide to President Roosevelt. Edited with a biographical sketch of the author by Lawrence F. Abbott	621.13
Charnwood , Lord. Abraham Lincoln.....	537.8
Charnwood , Lord. Theodore Roosevelt.....	532.13
Chesterton , Gilbert K. St. Francis of Assisi.....	537.10
Curie , Marie. Pierre Curie.....	532.14
Harriman , Mrs. J. Borden. From pinafore to politics...	532.15
Harris , Corra. My book and my heart.....	627.15
Iconoclast , pseud. J. Ramsay Macdonald, the man of tomorrow	637.8
Johnston , Sir Harry H. Story of my life.....	532.10
Lawrence , David. The true story of Woodrow Wilson..	537.7
Mayo , Lawrence Shaw. Editor. America of yesterday as reflected in the journal of John Davis Long, Gov- ernor of Massachusetts, Secretary of the Navy.....	532.9
Pupin , Michael. From immigrant to inventor.....	617.25
Rankin , Henry B. Intimate character sketches of Abra- ham Lincoln	532.12
Rolland , Romain. Mahatma Gandhi, the man who be- came one with the Universal Being.....	637.9
Wells , H. G. The story of a great schoolmaster.....	637.7
Wiggin , Kate Douglas. My garden of memory. An autobiography	532.11

GENERAL LITERATURE

Crothers, Samuel McChord. The cheerful giver. Essays	1328.21
Eliot, Charles W. A late harvest.....	1542.24
Fosdick, Harry Emerson. Twelve tests of character...	1528.17
Gibbs, Sir Philip. Adventures in journalism.....	1542.22
Hawes, Clarence. A gentleman from France.....	1542.24
Hudson, W. F. A hind in Richmond Park.....	1528.18
Mahon, Rev. Michael. Ireland in religion and letters...	1542.26
Mellon, Andrew W. Taxation. The people's business..	1542.23
Smith, Eugene Randolph. Education moves ahead....	1328.22
Stearns, Alfred E. The challenge of youth.....	1542.25

USEFUL ARTS

Bradley, Alice. Candy Cook Book.....	148.12
Fisher, I. and Fisk, L. How to live. Rules for healthful living based on modern science.....	125.34
Peyser, Ethel R. Cheating the junk-pile. The purchase and maintenance of household equipments.....	126.39

GARDENING

King, Mrs. Francis. Variety in the little garden.....	213.24
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RELIGION

Lawrence, William, bp. Fifty years. An account by the Bishop of Massachusetts of his personal experiences in the Church during the last fifty years, of his changes of thought and belief during the period....	1135.27
Royden, A. Maude. Beauty in religion.....	1135.28
Royden, A. Maude. The friendship of God.....	1125.26
Swedenborg, Emanuel. Life after death.....	1125.25

HISTORY

Hodgkins, Henry T. China in the family of nations....	337.10
Pecorini, Alberto. The story of America. La storia dell' America.....	355.17

DRAMA AND POETRY

- Bates, Katherine Lee.** Little Robin Stay-Behind, and
other plays in verse for children..... 1426.22
- Lucas, E. V. Compiler.** The open road, a little book for
wayfarers 1424.29

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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF LINCOLN
FOR THE
SCHOOL YEAR 1924



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, <i>Chairman</i> ,	Term expires 1925
GEORGE G. TARBELL, <i>Secretary</i> ,	Term expires 1926
EDITH B. FARRAR (MRS.),	Term expires 1927

Superintendent of Schools

NATHANIEL N. LOVE, Harvard, Mass.

Principal

CHARLES M. ROBINSON .

Teachers

Junior High School—Grades VII-VII-IX

PHYLLIS M. BRYANT
MARION D. PARKER
MARJORIE P. PERKINS

Grade VI

MYRTLE C. ELLIOTT

Grade V

OLIVE E. CASE

Grade IV

RUTH READY MacRAE

Grade III

BERNICE V. DODGE

Grade II

VERA B. ALLEN

Grade I

JOSEPHINE C. DOHERTY

School Physician

DR. HENRY A. WOOD

School Nurse

EDITH H. BACKMAN

Attendance Officer

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Janitor

EDWARD GRAF

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Winter Term, first half, begins Monday, January 5, 1925, ends Friday, February 20, 1925; seven weeks.

Winter Term, second half, begins Monday, March 2, 1925, ends Friday, April 17, 1925; seven weeks.

Spring Term, begins Monday, April 27, 1925, ends Friday, June 12, 1925; seven weeks.

Fall Term, begins Wednesday, September 9, 1925, ends Wednesday, December 23, 1925; sixteen weeks.

Winter Term, begins Monday, January 4, 1926.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The year of 1924 has been quite satisfactory in so far as the school work and its accomplishments are concerned. While some changes were made in the teaching staff, there were not as many as in the years just previous, and it is hoped that these changes may become fewer in the future. It is also very satisfactory to find that conditions relative to board and lodging of the teachers have become very much improved during the past year, and all of the later employed teachers have been able to secure living accommodations in the town. It is hoped that this condition will continue indefinitely. The salaries now paid by the town to its teachers are as good, and in many cases better than those paid by other towns of the same size and group class as Lincoln, and if all the teachers are able to secure living accommodations within the town, the schools must necessarily receive additional benefit.

The schools opened in September under Mr. Nathaniel N. Love as Superintendent, he having been elected by the Superintendency Union of which the towns of Stowe, Bolton, Harvard and Lincoln are associated, Lincoln having been obliged to join such a union during the past year. While Mr. Love comes to the Lincoln Schools on an average of only one day a week, this being the time agreed upon and allotted to Lincoln, he has brought valuable experience and knowledge of school matters to the schools and has in every way endeavored to co-operate with the teachers, principal and the committee and encouraged all to give their best to their work and to work in harmony for the best interests of the school. An examination of the report of the Principal, Mr. Robinson,

and that of the Superintendent, Mr. Love, appended to this report, shows that the efforts expended by all have been quite satisfactory.

Owing to the demand for manual training or more particularly woodworking, Mr. L. F. Robbins, formerly a pupil of Lincoln schools, has been engaged to give this instruction. Other than the above, no changes of importance have been made during the year.

School Building

During the Christmas vacation, the walls and ceilings of all of the rooms in the Centre School building were washed and re-finished, showing a marked improvement in the building. It is hoped that the rest of the building will be given attention during the Summer vacation and the work completed at that time.

The rooms of the South School building also should have attention and the walls and the wood-work should be painted and brightened. The gutters should also be repaired or replaced so as to prevent water from going into the cellar as now is the case during a heavy rain or thaw. There is also the condition of the yard, especially that part of it in front of the building. The old concrete is broken so badly that it is a source of danger to small children who may be playing or walking on it. This should be removed or renewed.

On examination of the Superintendent's report as also the report of the Principal, attention is called to the crowded condition of the ninth grade room. At present the ninth grade has twenty-two pupils being far too many for the present room (formerly the cooking room).

Attention is also called to the lack of play rooms as well as a suitable place to assemble the whole or any substantial part of the school. When released from their rooms, the

pupils are now obliged to go outside the building. This need of additional school facilities is important and is getting more marked annually and should have very serious attention in the near future.

During the past year, a most important change has been brought in that the Centre School grounds have been graded and put in condition for play-ground use, a much needed improvement and one of which a very decided advantage has been taken.

School Finances

The committee has been able to keep within the appropriation made for the use of the schools for the year 1924. There has been received for the town from various sources for the schools, \$7,637.94 as shown in the summary of expenses and receipts hereto attached.

On careful estimate made, an appropriation of \$29,000.00 will be necessary for the running of the schools for the present year. There undoubtedly will be an increase in the tuition of the high school pupils as there will be a larger number to attend during the present year. The item of salaries also will of necessity call for an increase. The Committee therefore recommends the above appropriation.

For more specific information on matters relating to the conduct of the school you are referred to the reports of the Superintendent, the Principal and the School Nurse annexed hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY,
GEORGE G. TARBELL,
EDITH B. FARRAR.

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES FOR YEAR 1924

Salaries, Prin., Teachers and Janitor.....	\$14,642.10
Supplies	547.57
Mis. Expenses of Operation.....	156.16
Books	477.05
High School Transportation	1,018.30
Miscellaneous	166.58
High School Tuition	3,918.37
Local Transportation	4,880.40
Physician and Nurse	604.00
New Equipment	303.82
Repairs on Building	12.41
Fuel	948.06
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	\$27,674.82

Receipts on account of Schools

City of Boston, Tuition of Pupils, 1923.....	993.15
City of Boston, Tuition of Pupils, 1924.....	1,500.00
Com. of Mass. Tuition of Pupils	1,400.82
Com. of Mass. General School Fund	1,690.00
Com. of Mass. Voc. and Ind. Schools	273.26
Com. of Mass. High School Trans. 1923	932.99
Com. of Mass. High School Trans. 1924	769.56
Com. of Mass. Mass. School Fund	19.80
Trustees Lincoln Grammar School Fund	57.53
Rebate High School Ticket83
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	\$7637.94

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Committee:

The annual report of the district superintendent of schools of Lincoln is hereby submitted.

It has been a pleasure to come to Lincoln. Because of a limited time, only one day a week, and with a school system as large as Lincoln, it has been impossible to do more than give a survey of ideals and plans in general in the way of co-operation with the principal of the school. I came in a stranger, forced on to the situation, and find my reception one of the utmost cordiality by both teachers and town people.

In every case the teachers are enthusiastic and cheerful and co-operative. The esprit-de-corps is fine, all of which speaks well.

The work of the grades has been satisfactory, as has that of the Junior High School. At least an examination of the records of Lincoln pupils and Concord and Waltham shows that the pupils' records are of a good average.

There is all told much of reflection of the enthusiasm of the teachers. Perhaps in one or two cases a little too much freedom was permitted. This is now well taken care of by the introduction of the demerit system.

The test results as shown by the principal's report show the same result. So well has the work been done with the individual pupils in the past, and after all that is the big thing in education, that in many cases mid-year promotions have been affected to a very great advantage of both grade and pupil. Such promotions will tend to produce more nearly a homogeneous group in each grade.

True we have those low down the scale of attainment as well as those superior in intelligence. It is our aim to give all the children of all the people a chance compatible with their abilities.

We hope to get the teachers (and I speak always as one cooperating on all things with the principal), to effectively bring their grades up to the standards of the Massachusetts courses of study. In some cases, however, the necessary bulletins or courses are not available. In order to afford a cross check on the work as done and provide means whereby the grades can be brought to a high standard, courses of study of Vermont and Maryland have been provided as a means of cyclopedic reference.

The task, however, of the teacher is only that of an auxiliary agent for the real seat of education, which is in the home. Therefore, we bespeak at all times the cooperation of the parents in the aims and ideals of the schools.

Changes in the teaching body find Miss Phyllis Bryant and Miss Marjorie Perkins taking the places of Miss Dyer and Miss Lethola in the Junior High School. Miss Bernice Dodge took the place of Miss Thorner in the third grade.

The organization as previously reported, has been in no way changed, except to add wood working under the leadership of Mr. L. F. Robbins. Miss Marion Parker is supervising drawing and is assisting in the music. At the present time we have books of songs containing specimens of the world's best music and the children appreciate them. Miss Perkins does the domestic science work and sewing. Besides this we receive cooperation in the club work. All these items are spoken of more at length in the appended reports.

In summary then let me say that in a round-about way, I have tried to show that Lincoln has a school system to be proud of, teachers that are loyal, and children that really want, for the most part, to get the best in education.

Buildings

There are two buildings. The South School building and the Centre School. If the town wants to go forward and wants to improve the Junior High School and provide an auditorium for extra-curricula activities, a gymnasium for physical education and a playground space in Winter and a place for the young men and women of the community to enjoy after they leave school through local basket-ball, volley ball and other similar activities; a library so absolutely necessary in a school; a laboratory for general science; adequate recitation room for the Junior High, then a building program must be considered. If a program should be contemplated then it would be wise to provide facilities for grades one and two. As it stands now, the present South Building is wasteful, for the heating plant is inadequate.

It might be well to consider in this program the possible organization of a Senior High School for there are many towns in the State with such schools, that have a smaller enrollment than Lincoln would have, this would keep the children at home, an argument that is self-explanatory.

I wish to thank all the teachers and the board for every courtesy extended me.

Respectfully submitted,

N. N. LOVE (*signed*).

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I hereby submit my annual report as Principal of the Lincoln Schools.

I am very pleased to state that there have been only three changes in the teaching force during the past year; two of which occurred in the Junior High School.

Miss Bernice V. Dodge of Arlington, a graduate of the Lesley Normal School, is taking the place of Miss Thorner in the third grade.

Miss Phyllis M. Bryant of Jonesport, Me., who has had experience in Maine schools, is teaching English, Latin and French in the Junior High School.

Miss Marjorie P. Perkins of Lynn, a graduate of the Framingham Normal School, replaced Miss Lethola in teaching Cooking, Arithmetic and History in the Junior High School.

Classes in Manual Training for boys were started in September, and we were fortunate to secure the services, for a day and a half each week, of Mr. LaForrest Robbins, Instructor in the Concord schools. The boys of the sixth, seventh and eighth grades are given a double period of Manual Training each week at the same time that the girls are having Cooking. It is very common to find boys and girls who do excellent work with their hands and yet continue to do poor work in the academic subjects.

Whereas, last year it was very difficult to find boarding places for the teachers, this Fall several opportunities were offered. A good boarding place in a family home means much to a teacher coming into a town for the first time.

As there were so very few pupils in the Ninth grade who wished to elect Latin this year, arrangements were made with Miss Bryant to have a class in beginner's French for those who did not wish the Latin. Miss Bryant has had experience in teaching French by the direct method, and the class is making rapid progress in learning French expressions.

While the total number of pupils in school is practically the same as it was a year ago, the number in the Junior High School—composed of Grades 7, 8 and 9—has increased more than 50% in two years. The following is the membership of these three grades taken on January 1st of each year:

	1923	1924	1925
Grade 9	14	10	22
Grade 8	16	20	31
Grade 7	20	33	24
Totals	50	63	77

Until this year fourteen was the largest number of pupils attending the Ninth grade any year since its change from Concord to Lincoln. At present there are 22. This large number is altogether too many for the small classroom which was originally intended for the cooking room. With such cramped conditions the citizens of Lincoln must be thinking seriously of enlarging the present school building.

The increased membership in both the eighth and ninth grades has necessitated buying additional copies of every set of books or purchasing new sets entirely where the old ones needed replacing. The expense of books, therefore, has been much greater this year than the previous year. Only books which were absolutely needed, however, were purchased.

On January 23, 1924, the Center School of Lincoln was entered in a state-wide spelling contest conducted under the

direction of the School of Education, Boston University, cooperating with the Massachusetts Department of Education. The purpose of the contest was to let each school see how it compared with other schools in the state. Out of 75 schools which sent in final returns, Lincoln won eighteenth place in the list. There has been no previous study of the tested words, and the words had been taken from the standard lists from each grade. This year plans are being made for a similar contest in English Language.

In order to stimulate interest and competition in school attendance, the writer purchased, in September, 1923, a pretty banner to be awarded each month to that grade having the highest percentage of attendance for the preceding month. Not only did this increase the interest in individual attendance, but it also taught group cooperation for any absence in a grade made it harder for that grade to gain the banner. The results show that the attendance was much better than it had been the previous year. 93.25 was the yearly average percentage for the entire school. The following table shows the percentage of each grade for every month:

PERCENTAGE OF ATTENDANCE FOR 1923-24

Grade	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Average
IX	98.58	*99.02	*95.90	*93.83	*97.78	95.00	96.40	*98.30	*97.37	98.00	*97.09
VIII	96.57	90.80	89.20	86.20	95.25	95.01	95.57	96.34	94.64	97.64	93.72
VII	97.97	97.18	94.37	92.15	87.25	91.10	*98.21	97.63	97.12	98.01	95.17
VI	96.88	93.41	94.97	83.96	88.20	90.21	93.65	97.85	95.31	96.15	93.06
V	*99.77	99.00	93.86	77.00	94.01	94.18	95.73	94.41	92.70	*100.00	94.07
IV	96.83	96.15	89.59	89.87	92.57	92.57	94.09	94.95	93.71	99.95	93.84
III	97.88	95.94	93.04	84.28	90.29	*95.11	93.79	95.04	92.90	98.00	93.62
II	94.34	88.88	70.99	86.74	85.00	93.02	92.40	91.91	91.60	99.06	89.47
I	92.80	94.22	87.53	82.83	78.69	86.39	94.26	93.56	86.29	94.40	89.20
Average	96.85	94.96	89.94	86.32	89.89	92.51	94.90	95.55	93.51	98.02	*93.25

*Indicates the banner attendance for each month.

The following pupils were not absent a single day during the school year 1923-24:

Grade	I	Carman Cafno
"	II	Carman Cafno
		Clyde Harvey
		Ebba Nelson
"	IV	Girmano Marcelli
"	IV	Girmano Marcelli
		Elmo Poland
"	V	Cedric Lamont
"	VI	Edith Rogers
"	VII	Harriet Robus
		John Boyce
		Lawrence Carlson
		Warren Flint
"	VIII	Evelyn Rogers
		Earle Harvey
		Albert Kelley
		Charles Lamont

When I came to Lincoln I found no record had been kept of the pupils' report cards. As I had various requests for the marks of former pupils, I decided to keep a copy of the report card of each pupil from the sixth grade through the ninth. During the past year a filing cabinet was purchased in order that these records might be readily accessible. There is, therefore, on file a complete record of the marks obtained by the upper grade pupils in each subject for the past two years. A comparison between this year's marks and last year's may easily be made by the Principal at any time.

All connected with the Center School are very glad that the playground has been graded. Although the pupils could not use the grounds until the first of October, good weather has permitted them to enjoy themselves during the last three months. In addition to the footballs which were used last

year, a soccer ball was purchased for the boys, and a volley ball court was constructed for the girls. Great interest was shown in these new games.

The school is in great need now of an inside playroom or gymnasium. As the boys' playroom is being used for the Manual Training classes and the girls' for Cooking, there is no place for the pupils to have recreation on stormy or cold days. This is another good reason for an addition to the present building.

The health of the school children has received very careful attention this past year. Aside from the usual numerous colds, there has been very little sickness and no epidemics. For a detailed account of health, see the Nurse's report.

We have had two Dental Clinics during the past year. In February, Dr. Edward Frye, of the Middlesex County Extension Service, spent about three weeks on dental work. In June, however, the Extension Service discontinued the Dental Clinic service and it was taken over by Dr. W. A. Gobie of the Forsythe Dental Infirmary of Boston. In October Dr. Gobie examined the teeth of every child in the school, and reported to the parents the approximate number of cavities found and extractions needed. Under Dr. Gobie's direction, Dr. Murray spent three weeks on dental service. Miss Backman has submitted the details of this clinic in her report.

Hot cocoa was served as usual to the pupils of both schools from the first of January to the Spring vacation in April. The total cost was \$173.13 of which \$100.00 was contributed by the Grange, \$10.00 by the American Legion, and \$63.00 earned by the Junior High School pupils in selling subscriptions to the Ladies' Home Journal. Smaller amounts were given by individual parents and pupils; so that a balance of \$23.00 remained as a beginning of this year's Fund.

On December 1, a demerit system of conduct was started in the Sixth to Ninth grades and it has already proved bene-

ficial to both teachers and parents. The following letter was inserted in the Waltham News Tribune and also sent to the parents of each pupil in the above grades. The letter is self-explanatory and needs no further comment.

Office of SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Lincoln, Mass.

TO THE LINCOLN PARENTS:

The school and the home are in a partnership business—that most important business of educating the future citizens of our country. No business is successful without the fullest cooperation between the partners of the firm.

In education, the home is the senior partner and the school, the junior. Seven of the most impressionable, plastic years of the child's life are in the parents' care before he enters the door of a school room. When finally he does begin the first grade, the teacher has him but five out of every twenty-four hours; and only five of the seven days each week.

If the mother knows what her child is doing outside of school, is she not entitled to the same knowledge of her boy or girl while in school? The report cards are sent home every two months, but many incidents take place during those months concerning which the parents should be informed.

“Why did Thomas get a ‘C’ in conduct on his report card? I did not know he had been misbehaving.” This is a question often asked by the parents and perhaps you have frequently had this same thought in your mind but have never found out the answer. We believe that the parents, as senior members of this partnership, should receive the fullest information possible in such matters; for the earnest efforts of

the teachers, as junior members, are futile without the hearty cooperation between the partners.

In order that the parents may know just how their children are behaving in school, a merit and demerit system has been introduced into the sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth grades of the Center School, placing the report of the pupils' conduct on the same basis in those grades.

The demerits are given for the following:

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| 1. Talking or whispering without permission, | 1 demerit |
| 2. Getting out of seat without permission, | 1 " |
| 3. Any fooling or inattention in class, | 1 " |
| 4. Chewing gum or eating candy in class, | 1 " |
| 5. Going to the store without permission, | 1 " |
| 6 Disobeying the teacher in any manner, | 5 demerits |

An honor roll placed conspicuously in the school will contain the names of those pupils who receive no demerits each week. The names of these pupils will also be published in the Waltham paper each week, so that the parents of Lincoln may know definitely who is on the honor roll.

Any pupil receiving six or more demerits a week must take home a slip to his or her parents telling the exact number of demerits received for the week. This notice is to be signed by the parent and returned to the teacher the following day.

A pupil receiving more than fifty demerits for a month is to be suspended from school and will not be allowed to return until the parent has consulted the principal of the school.

This system is for the mutual benefit of pupil, parents and teacher. May we not ask your hearty cooperation so that its success will be assured?

Signed, CHARLES M. ROBINSON,
Principal Lincoln Schools.

In November the Middlesex County Extension Service organized the Handicraft Club for boys and a Sewing Club for girls. About 14 young people are enrolled in each of these clubs. Miss Perkins kindly consented to be the local leader of the girls' club and Mr. Robbins of the boys' club. In addition to having a social time, the boys and girls receive instruction which is helpful to themselves in school and out; especially is it valuable in and around the home.

In the Spring Mr. R. D. Donaldson as chairman of the local committee, turned over to me Lincoln's proportionate part of the money collected on the sale of Tuberculosis Christmas seals. This money was to be used in health work among the children: part for the Cocoa Fund, part for the Dental Clinic, and part for a First Aid Cabinet and supplies. A large cabinet has already been built and placed in the Nurse's office at the Center School and the small cabinet is in use at the South School. In this way first aid supplies are on hand for immediate use at any time.

In the Fall a telephone was installed in the South School. This was especially needed in calling the nurse in case of emergency or sickness.

Much research has been done in the educational field during the last few years along the line of standardized testing. Leading educators have spent much time and thought in making tests in order that any school may compare its results with that of other schools. These tests have been given to thousands of school children and from the results, grade norms or averages have been made. These tests are constructed to assist a teacher in checking those subjects in which her class is weak that she may place more emphasis on those weak spots.

On March 18, 1924, a test was given to the pupils in Grades 4 to 8, testing the mental ability of these pupils as well as their classroom subjects. In this test the sixth grade was the only one which was far below the standard norm.

In order to check up the improvement of the pupils during the past year, a different form of the same test was given on January 6, 1925. Doubtless the facts that the test was given directly after the Christmas vacation and over two months earlier than last year, account for the grade results on a whole being lower this year than last. The teachers agree that this test aids them not only in checking up the pupils' past work but also in planning for the coming months.

The following chart shows the results of the tests, the first column being the standards which the grades should achieve:

	Grade Norms	March 18, 1924	Jan. 6, 1925
IX	119	(Not given)	120
VIII	110	101	119
VII	97	95	84
VI	82	68	75
V	64	64	57
IV	45	40	30

I wish to thank the School Committee and the parents for cooperation extended to me this last year; for nothing is more essential to the welfare of the pupils than a whole-hearted cooperation between the home and the school.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES M. ROBINSON, *Principal*.

Statistics for Year Ending June 30, 1924

Pupils enrolled		227
Boys	124	
Girls	103	
Pupils for whom town paid tuition elsewhere		32
Non-resident pupils attending school in Lincoln		24
Average daily attendance		197
Number of days schools were in session		174
Average membership		211
Registration of minors, April 1, 1924		
5 years and under 7		44
7 " " " 14		169
14 " " " 16		38
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Total		254

Membership by Age and Grade, April 1, 1924

Age	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Total
Grade I.	22	4	2										28
II.		18	13	4									35
III.			12	4	5	2							23
IV.				9	10	2							21
V.				2	9	7	2	1	1				22
VI.				1	1	11	5	3	2	2	1		26
VII.						4	9	12	3	2	3		33
VIII.							1	4	5	3	7		20
IX.								1	5	4			10
Total	22	22	27	20	25	26	17	21	16	11	11		218

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

Jan. 1924-Jan. 1925

Both schools visited daily, each room visited separately.

85 home, or "follow-up" visits were made.

367 children were seen privately in school, treated or given advice.

16 children were taken home from school because of illness.

1 case of each of the following was reported: whooping cough, measles, diphtheria.

11 cases of mumps were reported.

1 death occurred. The child, who had been a pupil in the second grade died from an enlarged thymus gland.

1 home call of advice was made.

2 telephone calls for advice were received.

Three children were vaccinated last September by Dr. Wood

We have successfully conducted two dental clinics at the Center School. The first clinic was held from February 14 to March 3, under supervision of the Middlesex County Dental Clinic. Dr. Edward Frye was the dentist in charge.

53 pupils were treated at this clinic, and the work done was most satisfactory. The second clinic was held from October 6 to October 24, under supervision of Dr. Wm. Gobie of the Forsythe Dental Infirmary of Boston. Dr. Murray, assistant to Dr. Gobie, did the work which proved to be satisfactory. At this clinic 82 pupils were treated. 337 cavities filled. 76 teeth extracted under the local anæsthetic Ethyl Chloride.

5 teeth extracted under the local anæsthetic Novocaine.

42 children had their teeth cleaned.

All pupils were weighed and measured three times during the year.

Underweights were weighed monthly. There were 45 underweight children in our schools last September. The number has now been reduced to 27.

Eyes and ears of all children were tested last September. Thirteen pupils were found to have defective eyesight; two pupils were found to have defective hearing, and notices were sent to their parents.

An effort was made last January to introduce the "Shick" test into our schools. Pamphlets explaining "Protection against Diphtheria" were distributed among the parents of school children. Approximately 100 coupons (attached to pamphlet) were returned to me signed by parents, indicating their approval of the test, and if their children were found to be susceptible to diphtheria, to be immunized against that disease.

About this time, however, we learned of the unfortunate outcome of the Shick test in Concord. This naturally threw a scare into the heart of many parents who had previously signed their consent to the Shick test in Lincoln, and notes came from these parents requesting that the treatment should not be carried out. Consequently in February, at the request of the School Committee, notices were sent back to the parents, informing them that the test would not be given under supervision of the schools.

When school opened in September, colds were quite prevalent among the children, but subsided after a few weeks.

Physical examinations of all children were made by Dr. Wood in October.

84 children were found to have hypertrophied tonsils and adenoids.

A special effort is now being made to have more of the parents avail themselves of the opportunity of the nose and throat clinics (for children) held at the Waltham Hospital Friday mornings for those unable financially, to visit their family physicians for tonsil and adenoid operations.

It is gratifying to us that there have been no epidemics in this town during the past year.

37 days were spent in Sudbury.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH H. BACKMAN, R. N.

NOTICE:

Business Meeting, Monday, March 2nd, at 1 P. M.

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said
County: GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote at Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Monday, the second day of March next at one o'clock P. M., then and there to act on all of the following Articles, except Article 2, and to meet in said Town Hall on Tuesday, the third day of March next at 12:30 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following Article 2, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the second day of March next:

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Tuesday, March 3rd, will be open at 12:30 o'clock P. M. and may be closed at 6:30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other officers required by law to be elected by Australian ballot:

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector for one year.

One Auditor for one year.

Two Constables for one year.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of Trustees for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

Also to vote "Yes" or "No" upon the following question:

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages in this Town?"

ART. 3. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees and officers required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

ART. 4. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

ART. 5. To appropriate money for necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

ART. 6. To determine the manner of collecting taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 7. To determine the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year, beginning January 1st, 192 , in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor payable in one year from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will extend the water pipes from the point opposite Conant Road (so-called) to the house occupied by Mr. Davis or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will have the commercial electric lighting extended from the South Great Road on Tower Road to the house of Mr. William Harding or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will take any action with reference to a permanent memorial to the men in the late war.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will choose a committee or otherwise to take steps to improve three triangles in the Town as follows: one in the centre of the Town opposite the house of the late Miss Julia A. Bemis; one on the South Great Road near Farnsworth Corner; and one on the Concord-Wayland road near the house of Mrs. Bunker.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen or other committee to acquire by purchase or otherwise a tract of land belonging to the estate of Charles S. Wheeler adjoining the present cemetery and appropriate money for the same or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen or other committee to determine if the Abbie J. Stearns Fund for the purchase of a Town Hearse can be transferred to the Fund for Silent Poor established by the same person.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will purchase additional equipment for the Fire Department or take any action in relation to the matter.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200 or some other amount and elect a director, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts.

HEREOF FAIL NOT.

And make due return of this WARRANT with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 14th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

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